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OUTLINES.

The situation at Havana appears hopeless and nobody doubts that intervention is close at hand; President Palma persists in resigning in which event Secretary Taft will proclaim himself provisional governor and establish a temporary government under a proclamation from President Roosevelt; preparations are complete to land 2,500 United States marines and bluejackets——The tropical hurrican was terribly violent at Pensacola, hurling shipping from the bay on to land, destroying the wharves, and doing property damage of $5,000,000, with probable loss of life; the wharves and elevator of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad were washed into the bay, that road's loss being estimated at $1,000,000; in Alabama 30 miles of trave have been washed away, and at New Orleans and other gulf points enormous damage has been done—— In the asylum at Newburgh, N. Y., yesterday Mrs. Lizzie Halliday, murderess of three people, killed her fourth victim, having murdered Miss Nellie Wicks, a nurse——Gen. Stoessell, defender of Port Arthur, was allowed to resign from the army instead of being shot——Train wreckers yesterday removed several rails from Coosawhatchie trestle near Allendale, S. C., on the Southern Railway, causing the wreck of a train, the loss of one life and the scalding of the engineer; the only car not damaged was of the new steel type—— The force which captured a Mexican town is said to be a gang of smugglers and bandits, several of whom were killed in a fight with troops——New York markets: Money on call firm 4 to 6 per cent., ruling rate 5 1-2, closing bid 4, offered at 5; spot cotton 10 points higher, closing quiet at 9.70; flour firm but quiet; wheat firmer, No. 2 red, 79 elevator; corn steady; No. 2, 57 1-4 elevator; oats steady; mixed 37 1-2; turpentine steady; rosin steady, strained common to good, 4.00 to 4.10.

Who steals our Norfolk Landmark?

It doesn't appear as if William Randolph was such a joke after all.

The insurgents must have had the best lawyers and swiftest witnesses.

Enough offices to go around would pacify either the Cuban insurgents or American political aspirants.

Cuba had better be good if she does not want us to practice our "benevolent assimilation" on her.

William Randolph Hearst must be an organizer of great resources or else has had spendid luck in selecting his field marshals.

It is curious how a Republican administration thinks when a country is not fit for self-government it is safe for annexation.

Atlanta may have thought that the Cuban insurrection was attracting too much atention to suit the Gate City.

Uncle Joe is cavorting around and cussing on the stump just as if he thought he were exercising his prerogatives and assumptions as Speaker of the House.

President Roosevelt and the heavy weights of his cabinet are absent from Washington. The country is safe.

With a few Department officials and clerks running the government at Washington and nobody is insurging against them, we submit it as a spectacle for the contemplation of all who do not know what self-government is.

A more revolting spectacle of political depravity than that born of the Murphy-Hearst mesalliance in New York has never disgraced the Democratic party. Treachery and venality reigned supreme. Murphy and Hearst! Par nobile fratrum!!

We fear that President Palma, first President of the Island Republic, will never go down to fame as the George Washington of Cuba. In failing to suppress the insurgents, he has also missed the opportunity of becoming the Abe Lincoln of his Republic.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Lumberton Robesonian again comes to us in eight page form. Editor P. A. Bryant is giving Robeson county a splendid and as a matter of fact is making one of the best weeklies in the State.

NEWS FROM RALEIGH

Four Sophomores Expelled From A. & M. College for Hazing Freshmen.

COTTON GROWERS TO MEET

Registration For General Election—Marion Butler to Speak—Fifth District Cases in Superior Court—Other Items of Interest.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 2.—The Commissioner of Insurance has admitted the Southern Insurance Co., of New Orleans and the Guardian Fire Insurance Co., of Pittsburg, Penn., to do business in this State. Col. J. W. Powell, of Louisville, Ky., is in the city and is general agent for both companies.

For the State Republican campaign quite a string of appointments are announced for ex-Senator Marion Butler. They include Nashville, Oct. 4; Smithfield, Oct. 5; Dunn, Oct. 5; Oxford, Oct. 12; Henderson, Oct. 13.

Managers of both the State Democratic and Republican campaigns have agreed that the correct construction of the election law fixes the time for the opening of the registration books in this State at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, Oct. 4 and close at sunset Saturday, Oct. 27.

A call is issued for each of the cotton growing counties in the State to send ten delegates to a cotton convention to be held in Raleigh, Oct. 17, during the State Fair to hear President Harvey Jordan, of the Southern Association.

In the Supreme Court to-day four cases from the fifth district were heard on appeal: Moresey vs. Hill, from Duplin, by A. M. Graham, for plaintiff, H. L. Stevens, for defendant Jones vs. Railroad from Duplin, by H. L. Stevens and Rountree & Carr for plaintiff, and J. L. Bridgers for defendant. Wilson vs. Atlantic Coast Line, from New Hanover, by Rountree & Carr, for plaintiff, Davis & Davis for defendant. Spell vs. Atlantic Coast Line, from Pender, writ certiorari issued; case continued.

Four members of the sophomore class at the A. & M. College were expelled to-day for hazing freshmen. It was discovered that the four sophomores were compelling a number of freshmen to clean up their rooms, make up beds, sweep out and do all manner of manual work as hazing. President Winston says he has resolved to keep down hazing in the A. & M. and will expel every student connected in any way with even the slightst offence of this character.

"FINNEGAN'S BALL" TO-NIGHT.

Remarkable Record of Clever Comedy Production at the Academy.

"Finnegan's Ball" a real comedy success will be at the Academy tomorrow night. This clever comedy has been rewritten and brought up to date and is one of the season's artistic as well as momentary successes.

Having played four months in New York at the 14th Street Theatre it now enters its farewell tour with a record few if any other shows ever attained fifteen straight years of public approval to be exact. It has played 563 weeks having given 3,378 night performances and 1,126 matinees, a total of 4,505 performances, averaging $532 per day or a total over two million dollars. The company that will be seen here, is said to be one of the best the management has ever been able to secure, and includes a girl of every type of beauty, the costumes are gorgeous, the scenic effects are works of the best mechanics in modern stage craft.

The sale of seats is now on, prices being reduced.

Their Little Son Dead.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bannerman, of this city, extend tenderest sympathy in the death of their little son, Joseph, aged four years and six months, which occurred Wednesday morning at the home of an aunt at Wade, N. C., where the little fellow was visiting. He was an exceedingly bright child, the pride of a devoted father and mother and their sorrow at his taking-away is great indeed. The remains were brought yesterday to the old family home near Tomahawk, N. C., by Mr. and Mrs. Bannerman and the remains were tenderly laid to rest there after impressive funeral services. The funeral was at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and the bereaved parents came home on the A. & Y. train last night.

PURCHASE HOUNDS

County Commissioners Will Buy Blooded Animals for Running Down Criminals—Inquiries Are Now Being Made—Keep Them Here.

Chairman D. McEachern, of the Board of County Commissioners, yesterday announced that the Commissioners would purchase at the earliest possible moment a pair of well trained bloodhounds for running down criminals in New Hanover and for the purpose of maintaining discipline at the convict camp. The suggestion in the morning papers yesterday, based upon the observation of Solicitor Duffy in other counties, was favorably received by the Board and Chairman McEachern said yesterday afternoon that he would at once take the matter up and get the hounds here and make every arrangement for keeping them as soon as possible. He is now trying to get in communication with the owner of some reliable kennel and will endeavor to have the animals sent here for trial at first or buy them upon a substantial guarantee of their breeding. Mr. McEachern with Solicitor Duffy is a firm believer in the hound and will give him a chance to demonstrate his ability on the first criminal out of the box.

The matter of the purchase of bloodhounds was up before the Commissioners some time ago but it was impossible to get the owner of any of the animals offered to guarantee them and hence the purchase had to be abandoned. Mr. McEachern is now determined to get animals of the best and has writen to several parties with whom he will begin negotiations at once. The dogs will be kept either at the jail here or at the convict stockade. It is said that there are no full-blooded hounds in North Carolina and the Commissioners are directing their inquiries elsewhere.

THE CITY SCHOOLS' OPENING.

All Arrangements Are Under Way—New Teachers Arriving.

Superintendent John J. Blair and his corps of very efficient teachers are making every arrangement for the opening of the city public schools next Monday. The attendance promises to be quite large and everything is being systematized this week in order to avoid all the confusion possible on the opening day. Yesterday new students for the High School and those conditioned on any studies were examined and this morning at 11 A. M. all the new students for Hemenway and Union schools are requested to present themselves for enrollment and classification.

Mr. Blair requests that all teachers in the schools meet Saturday morning at 11 o'clock at the Hemenway building. This conference will be highly important and all are expected to be present. Mr. J. D. Huff, the principal-elect of the High School, and Mr. Wingate Underhill, the new principal of the Hemenway school have already arrived and are arranging to take hold of their work at once. Mr. Underhill is from Selma, N. C., is a graduate of the University of North Carolina and has had much experience in teaching. For some time he was principal of the High School at Kinston, N. C., and has taught with much success elsewhere. Both he and Mr. Huff will find a cordial welcome awaiting them here.

Campaign Appointments.

The following appointments for Democratic speakers are made from State Headquarters in Raleigh: H. L. Cook, Fayetteville, at Whiteville, Oct. 1st; Hon. F. M. Simmons, at Black Creek, Wilson county; at Elizabetown, October 15th; Lincolnton, October 17th. Hon. Lee S. Overman, at Sanford, October 4th, at night; at Fayetteville, October 5th, at night; Clarkton, October 6th; Lumberton, October 8th; Wadesboro, October 9th; Greenville, October 13th, at night; Washington, October 15th; Newbern, October 18th, at night; Bayboro, October 19th; Snow Hill, October 20th; Wilson, October 22nd; Selma, October 23rd.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. W. Batson—Palace Market.

N. Jacobi Hardware Co.—Cooking Exhibition.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Board for Three Young Men.

Boney & Harper—Dray Horse Wanted.

Portner's Hofbrau is pure, like all other beers, but it is distinctly a beer of quality. No corn products used in its composition. 'Phone 99. **

Kalamazoo Celery and California Fruits at the Delmonica. Sept 28-1wk

AS TO THE PRIMARY

Investigation by Grand Jury Was Continued Yesterday in Superior Court.

MAY BE PRESENTMENTS

Result of Investigation Will Not Be Known Until Next Term—Card From Mr. Boney With Reference to Registration.

Further testimony in regard to the alleged irregularities in the county primaries in New Hanover last week was heard yesterday by the Grand Jury in the Superior Court and it is believed that as the result of the inquiry a number of presentments have been or will be made against persons who will be called to account at the next term. The witnesses examined yesterday were from among those who were present at the count in the Fourth ward on the night of the second contest when 29 votes were found in the box for sheriff more than the poll lists showed had been actually cast. It is stated that irregularities are charged in other of the wards, but from the statement of witnesses who have been before the jury, it is not believed that any of the latter charges have been sustained. Whatever may be the action of the grand jury in the matter, it will have no effect in changing the nomination as made in the primary.

In this connection the following card from Mr. G. J. Boney will be read with interest, Mr. Boney having been one of the witnesses before the inquiry:

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 27, 1906.

Editor Star: In your article this morning in reference to the work of the Grand Jury, you say that "Mr. Boney" alleges some irregularities in the registration in the Second Ward.

I am really very glad to be quoted as putting it in such a mild manner. Now, as to the facts. I sent my nephew, H. E. Boney, to the voting place of the Second Ward Friday, Sept. 14th., and he returned with the information that both our names were on the registration books. I went to vote Wednesday morning and was told that my name was not on the registration books. The registrar finally admitted that the registration books had been changed between Friday and Wednesday, and further admitted that my name was on the previous book, but refused to allow me to vote. I left the voting place to seek counsel and had proceeded a short way only when a messenger requested me to return to the polls. I was then informed that they would put my name on the book and let me vote. I told them I did not want my name put on, that it was illegal, and they said they would put it on any way, and did put it on in my presence, and I voted from the registration made that day.

So far as I am individually concerned, I would have no further complaint, but there were a number of other Democrats who claimed that they were debarred from voting by the change of registration books, being less fortunate than I was. Hence my interest in the matter.

Mr. Empie and myself passed the Primary Law through the Legislature, and I say frankly that I will not stand still and wink at the wrong-doings of anybody that prevents any honest voter the privilege of casting his ballot.

G. J. BONEY.

WARNING TO JUNK DEALERS.

Property Stolen From This Office; Youthful Thieves Caught.

For some time past the Star has been the victim of a series of petty thefts, the articles stolen consisting of linotype metal and "slugs," old type, electrotype and stereotype plates, brass roller moulds, etc.; and in one case, a large cog wheel of an expensive pattern. Yesterday the roller moulds and part of the stereotype plates were recovered from a junk shop near the corner of Front and Dock streets. The theft of these articles has been fixed on two white boys—one of them not more than ten years old—who were employed at the Star office and who were recently discharged.

Junk dealers ought to know that valuable brasses and other articles that are offered them at nominal prices by negroes and young boys, or other irresponsible persons, are stolen goods; and we give fair warning now that we will prosecute any one in whose possession any of our stolen property may be found.

BAZAAR COMMITTEES

Ladies Who Will Assist Wilmington Light Infantry With Carnival Week After Next—Musical Programme Each Night—Announcements.

At a meeting of the Central Committees of the ladies who have kindly volunteered to assist with the W. L. I. Bazaar yesterday afternoon, the various sub-committees were completed and announced as follows:

Ice Cream—Mesdames E. H. Sneed, R. H. Grant, Mitt Moore, B. G. Empie, Walter Williamson, D. O'Connor, J. V. Grainger, J. F. Garrell, B. F. Hall, Junius Davis, H. L. Fennell, R. C. Cantwell, P. Q. Moore, E. L. Prince, W. B. Cooper, M. J. Corbett, M. W. Jacobi, J. H. Rehder, D. McEachern, W. P. M. Turner and J. Willson Wood; Misses Louise Sneed, Eva May Beery, Lauriston Hardin, Eugie Woodruff, Jeannie Woodruff, Carrie Toomer, Olivia Horne and Edith Butler.

Cake—Mesdames Wm. F. Robertson, S. Mendelsohn, A. Shrier, F. W. Foster, R. W. Hicks, Jno. D. Bellamy, C. C. Covington, C. O. Byerly, L. Bluethenthal, R. G. Rankin, Jr., Jno. H. Gore, Roger Moore, H. J. Gerken, Gabriel Holmes, Cameron MacRae, Jos. H. Watters, J. Hal Boatwright; Misses Jane Meares, Charlotte Fennell, Louise Harlow and Alice Borden.

Country Store—Mesdames Cuthbert Martin, R. C. DeRosset, J. S. Chambers; Miss M. Corbett, Maybelle Sneed, Jeanette Frank.

Lemonade—Mesdames Sol Sternberger, J. M. Solky, H. L. Vollers, Jas. Womack; Misses Margaret Ashe, M. Nash, Viola Bear, Lillie Sears, Edna Toomer and R. G. Rush.

Candy—Mesdames B. J. Jacobs, M. G. Saunders, C. L. Dickinson, N. N. Davis, W. A. French, Jr., A. M. Hall, E. K. Bryan; Misses Florrie Grant, Eliza French, Sadie Williams, Hattie French, Isabelle Williams, Helen Clark, Thurber Gore, Sue Anderson, Ella Jacobs, Jane Iredell Green, Daisy Burbank, Tallulah DeRosset, Dell Burbank, Louise Beery, M. Bear, Bertha Steljes, Amy Harlow, Reba Myers, Lottie Duffy, Maria Maffitt, Mary Post, Lottie Pleasants, Olive Quince, Alice Davis, Helen Pleasants, Anna Grant, Isabel Belden and Sallie Bowden.

Sandwiches—Mesdames Elizabeth Sands, William Latimer, F. A. Lord, Walker Taylor, Henry Haar, M. W. Divine, Percy Cowan, Jno. T. Rankin, W. H. Pemberton, Jno. J. Fowler, J. H. Hardin, H. H. McKee, S. A. Schloss, L. B. Frank, J. F. Maunder; Misses Julia James, Bertha Hanson, Nellie Fowler Kate O'Hanlon, Nellie McMillan, Alice Fishblate and Calena Newell.

Coffee—Mesdames F. L. Huggins, Jas. F. Woolvin, J. F. Garrell, Herbert McClammy and J. W. Yates.

Confetti—Misses Theo. Cantwell, Besise Gore, Amoret Lord, Margaret Walker and Madeline DeRosset.

Baby Show—Mrs. R. W. Price, Mrs. Geo. P. Cotchett; Misses Margaret Gibson and Anna Cantwell.

The first named of each of the above committees is chairman of that committee and members appointed on each are requested to notify the chairman if they will serve. The chairmen of all the committees are requested to meet the Booth Committee at the armory on Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The chairman of the Candy Committee requests that members of her committee meet at the armory this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

Each night's musical programme during the carnival will be in charge of the following ladies: Mrs. A. M. Waddell, Tuesday; Mrs. J. H. Dreher, Wednesday; Mrs. R. H. Chasten, Thursday; Miss Anna Sprunt, Friday.

Mistook Fire Alarm Box.

Superintendent of Fire Alarm Jno. T. Yates has registered a kick on being classed as one of the Postoffice Department. A gentleman from the "rural deestrects" blew in yesterday with a letter to mail and tried to jab it into the fire alarm box at Front and Grace streets with the result that No. 25 went in to the Department and the laddies turned out expecting to find the "devouring element" at its work. Instead they found a very innocent-looking countryman who was profuse in his apologies for mistaking the alarm box for the postoffice receptacle. The man from the tall timber was given the ha-ha by a large crowd gathered to see the fire. The hour was 11:54 A. M.

Portner's Hofbrau is thoroughly sterilized in the bottle at the brewery. You may contract typhoid fever from water, but never from beer that is sterilized at the brewery. 'Phone 99. **

Visit Gaylord's this week for values. Nuf Sed. **

THE SHOCKLEY TRIAL

Ten of Twelve Jurors Required Were All That Could Be Secured Yesterday.

ANOTHER VENIRE FOR TODAY

Case Will Likely Require Balance of the Week—Negro Charged With Robbing Old Colored Woman Given Two Years.

The greater portion of yesterday's session of the Superior Court was taken up in an effort to secure a jury for the trial of the case of M. W. Shockley, charged with the killing of Frank Talbert, a marble cutter, in this city last July a year ago, the particulars of which case are well remembered. The special venire of one hundred summoned for the day and an additional venire of thirty were exhausted by early in the afternoon and only ten of the twelve men had been accepted by both sides. An eleventh man, Mr. Oscar H. Wright, had been called in the box but he is yet to be passed by the State and the defence. The others who have been accepted finally are Messrs. Bryan M. Hill, Thos. Torpy, Jr., Haywood F. Newkirk, E. A. Hughes, George F. Quinn, Wm. E. King, Jas. E. Smith, Jas. E. Murphy, John Haar and F. W. Westermann. While the case is not a capital one, the Solicitor having announced some time ago that he would not contend for murder in the first degree, Judge Jones regards the case of so much imporatnce that he has ordered that the jury be not allowed to separate and members of the same are in charge of an officer until the case is completed.

Court convened yesterday morning at 10 o'clock and the Sheriff returned 73 of the 100 veniremen drawn for the day. Twenty-seven were not found and the following were excused by the court: C. E. Wood, W. G. Brinkley, S. Solomon, T. F. McAllister, Wm. J. Toomer, James M. Stevenson, C. C. Parker, Jas. H. Taylor, Jr., Jas. H. Taylor, Sr., Matt J. Heyer, J. W. Atkinson, B. S. Montford and G. M. Murrell.

The Shockley case was at once called and the selection of a jury proceeded with. The defendant was in court and with him was his wife, who has been conspicuously faithful to him all through his troubles. They sat with his counsel, Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy, Herbert McClammy and Walter P. Gafford, Esqs. On the other side of the bar sat Solicitor Duffy and William Bellamy, Esq., counsel for for the prosecution—and with them were Mrs. Talbert, widow of the dead man, and her little son, five or six years old. The tedium of the selection of the jury was taken up after the usual formalities of opening the case and one after another of the special venire were called, the usual questions were propounded by the lawyers and one after another was excused. The selection was in the order given above. When the hour for the dinner recess arrived the entire venire had been exhausted and but eight jurors had been taken. Judge Jones remarked upon the extreme difficulty of securing jurors in New Hanover and ordered another venire of thirty to be summoned for three o'clock in the afternoon.

Upon the reconvening of court in the afternoon, the same tedious task was undertaken again and only two more jurors had been selected when the second venire was exhausted. Judge Jones said that there was no further use in trying to get a jury that day and still another venire of 50 was drawn for return at 9 o'clock this morning. Out of these it is expected to get the two or three yet required, though the attorneys say it will be noon to-day before the trial of the case can be gone into. The widow of the dead man will be first introduced by the State and she will be followed by others, chiefly from among fellow employes of Talbert, who were with him on the night he was fatally wounded. It is hardly expected that the case can be completed by the end of the term Saturday night unless night sessions are held. The two weeks term of court beginning next week is for the trial of civil cases only, though it is possible that the criminal case may extend over into Monday.

The jurors already selected in the Shockley case were put in charge of Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cox last night and have been provided with cots for sleeping in the court room. Yesterday afternoon they were out in a body taking some exercise and late

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For State Senate—Eleventh District: George H. Bellamy, of Brunswick.

For Representative—George L. Morton.

For Sheriff—S. Percy Cowan.

For Clerk of the Superior Court—John D. Taylor.

For Register of Deeds—John Haar.

For Treasurer—Hector McL. Green.

For Coroner—C. D. Bell.

For County Commissioners—Duncan McEachern, William F. Robertson, H. L. Vollers, W. F. Alexander and Morrison W. Divine.

For Constable of Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.

For Representative in Congress—Sixth District: Hannibal L. Godwin, of Harnett.

For Corporation Commissioner: Franklin McNeill, of Wake.

For Judge Superior Court—Fifth District: Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir.

For Solicitor Fifth District: Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.

VAGRANTS ARE DANGEROUS.

It is generally conceded that the idle, shiftless and vagrant class constitute the criminals of the country. The man who works and keeps busy rarely ever commits crime. Atlanta's experience with vagrants has been a sad one and it will be a lesson to other communities that need more than ever to keep a watchful eye on vagabond negroes and white men. The Columbia Record takes advantage of the week of bloodshed in Atlanta to make this timely utterance:

"Atlanta's race rioting unquestionably was the outcome of crimes committed by vagrants, although since the trouble began racial animosity may have spread further among better classes. As we said the other day Atlanta's experience ought to be a lesson to us. We have dives in this city, frequented by these worthless criminal negroes. True the police raid them frequently, but not too often, and fines are imposed. But the dives and the vagrants still exist. Some time since we suggested that our vagrancy laws ought to be made severe. Some contemporary declared that there is sufficient law now, but the trouble is it is not enforced. It is either that or the penalty is not much dreaded, for there is no perceptible diminution of vagrants. They have caused little serious trouble so far, but the great danger is always where they live and thrive."

What the Record says applies to Wilmington. The Star yesterday stated that "a vigorous war on vagrants should be inaugurated in Wilmington." Now is the time to begin the work and keep it going.

WILL PREVENT SHIPWRECKS.

The Norfolk Virginian-Pilot makes this reference to a great project that should receive increasing and more earnest attention than ever:

"The Charlotte Observer is manifestly correct in saying that the numerous shipwrecks, with attendant loss of life and destruction of property, which occurred on the Carolina coast during the storm of a week ago furnish a conclusive argument in favor of Congressman Small's project to construct an inland waterway from Norfolk to Beaufort, N. C. The chief of engineers of the army is reported to have declared the plan feasible and to have estimated that the cost of the proposed waterway would approximate $3,500,000. It is risking little to say that having to make passage around Hatteras, appropriately termed the 'graveyard of the Atlantic,' costs the shipping of the country fully that amount annually, to say nothing of the loss of life entailed, which can not be measured in dollars and cents. But avoidance of the dangers of Hatteras is only one of the many benefits which would flow from the carrying of Mr. Small's project into effect. A waterway such as it is proposed to construct would cheapen coastwise transportation, ensue and hasten the development of the territory which it would traverse and furnish the government with an inland passage for its naval vessels of shallow draught, safe from the dangers attaching to the outside route and protected from the enemy in time of war. The opening up of the proposed route is a matter in which not the only immediate territory is interested but the entire Atlantic Seaboard, especially New England. The great bulk of the shipping which has to incur the dangers of Hatteras hails from that section, and to it would fall the chief benefit from an avoidance of those dangers. Congressmen from those State should join hands with Mr. Small and other Southern Representatives in securing the necessary legislation. If they will the construction of the proposed waterway in the near future may be considered assured."

The United States engineers have reported that the inland waterway project is entirely feasible, and it is said that $5,000,000 will be sufficient to establish an inside route for ships. It is a matter of the greatest importance and if it costs many times more than that it would be a great saving in preventing the destruction of millions of dollars of ships and cargoes and the loss of hundreds of lives annually on the high seas. When Congress meets a greater effort than ever should be put forth to have the government undertake this great project. It will not alone save the shipping but will develop a tremendous commerce that will more than justify the undertaking.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Atlanta takes its place by the side of Siedlce in the calendar of retrogression.—New York Tribune.

—In these times a dictionary gets out of date even more quickly than a battleship—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

—A Cuban insurrection would attract very little attention if dropped down in the midst of an Atlanta race riot.—Baltimore Sun.

—A grim joke: distracted Russia to join England in suppressing insurrection in Persia.—Norfolk Virginia-Pilot.

—Following the Sullivan precedent in Illinois, will William Jennings Bryan demand that Joseph Weldon Bailey shall efface himself from the undefiled Democracy?—Kansas City Times.

—It seems the reformed spelling interferes with the phraseology of various acts of Congress. That settles it; you can't reform Congress.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—Cuba and Russia are the only countries in which there is strife and bloodshed at present; but the football season is approaching rapidly.—Kansas City Journal.

—The city of New York maintains on its payrolls nearly 61,000 workers, at an annual expense of $57,000,000. That's the sort of thing that would pacify the Cuban insurgents.—Philadelphia Ledger.

—Just to keep the record straight we would like to know who is playing the part of Bunau-Varilla, and who the Cromwell of this made-to-order Cuban revolution.—Sumter (S. C.) Item.

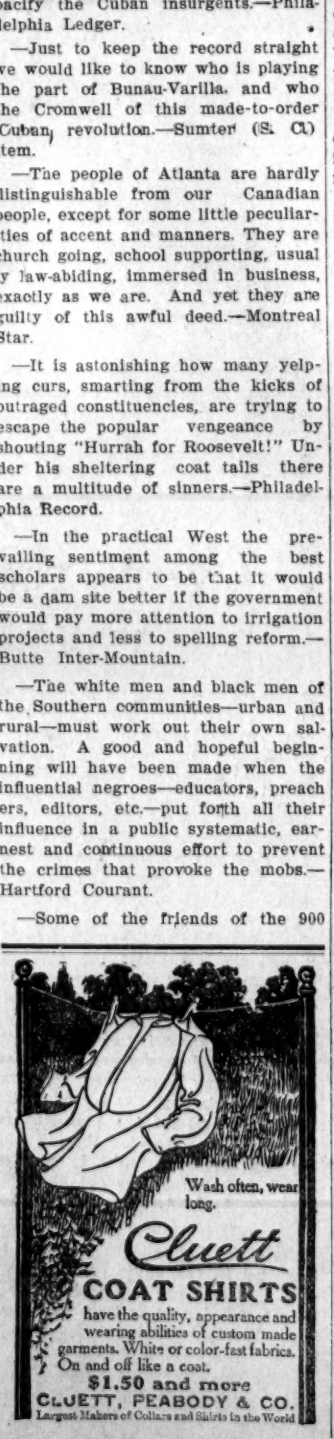
—The people of Atlanta are hardly distinguishable from our Canadian people, except for some little peculiarities of accent and manners. They are church going, school supporting, usually law-abiding, immersed in business, exactly as we are. And yet they are guilty of this awful deed.—Montreal Star.

—It is astonishing how many yelping curs, smarting from the kicks of outraged constituencies, are trying to escape the popular vengeance by shouting "Hurrah for Roosevelt!" Under his sheltering coat tails there are a multitude of sinners.—Philadelphia Record.

—In the practical West the prevailing sentiment among the best scholars appears to be that it would be a dam site better if the government would pay more attention to irrigation projects and less to spelling reform.—Butte Inter-Mountain.

—The white men and black men of the Southern communities—urban and rural—must work out their own salvation. A good and hopeful beginning will have been made when the influential negroes—educators, preachers, editors, etc.—put forth all their influence in a public systematic, earnest and continuous effort to prevent the crimes that provoke the mobs.—Hartford Courant.

—Some of the friends of the 900 army officers over whose heads Mr. Roosevelt jumped the sprightly Captain Pershing are asking if the 'square deal" does not apply to the army as well as to civilians. What a foolishness. Of course it does not apply to everybody. How could you expect Mr. Roosevelt to make the "square" deal go round?—Columbia State.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—The brick work for the new jail at Lillington, Harnett county, has been completed.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Sept. 27: Marshall R. H. Bradley, of the Supreme Court, Grand Tyler of the State Lodge of Masons, is now able to move about home, to the delight of his many friends.

—Sampson Democrat: Mr. H. A. James, of Turkey, has an unusual way of catching hawks. The other day he heard a chicken squall and saw a hawk go down by a barbed-wire fence. He saw the hawk get entangled in the fence and went to him and caught him.

—Sampson Democrat: At the Republican Senatorial convention of this district Mr. A. L. Barefoot, of Johnston, and Maj. Geo. E. Butler, of Sampson, were nominated. Maj. Butler declines the nomination, and the place is to be filled by appointment of the executive committee.

—Clarkton Express: Some of the best informed think the Democratic majorities in Bladen this year will run from 400 to 500. The thing for every Democrat in the county to do however, is to go to the polls and try to make the majority greater than that.

—Clarkton Express: The people of this section will have the pleasure in the next few weeks of hearing both of our United States Senators. Senator Overman will speak at Clarkton on Saturday, October 6th, and Senator Simmons at Elizabethtown Monday of court, October 15.

—President C. C. More, of the North Carolina Division of the Southern Cotton Association, has called a meeting at Raleigh October 17th to discuss plans for raising a fund to protect the price of cotton. He requests that each county association send up ten delegates.

—Secretary Joseph E. Pogue, of the State Fair, at Raleigh, stated on Monday that more space for attractions has already been let for the Fair next month than has ever before been let by the Saturday preceding the Fair. More space for exhibits also has been let than ever before at this time.

—Henry Knox, a young married man, aged 19, accidently shot himself while hunting in the woods near LaGrange on Tuesday morning. The ball entered his left leg, shattering the large bone. Amputation was performed by Drs. Hodges, Smithwick and Greene. The operation was considered dangerous as the amputation was necessary near the hip joint.

—Sampson Democrat: Mr. Leonard Watkins, aged 71 years, died at the home of his brother, Mr. J. F. Watkins, in Sampson county, on Saturday evening, Sept. 15, after a lingering illness of many years which had made him a sufferer. Mr. Watkins was a brave Confederate soldier and an honest, industrious, faithful citizen, and an ardent Democrat.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Sept. 27: Work has begun on the new dormitory at the Nazareth Orphanage, two miles west of Raleigh. The building will be of concrete and will have a front of 50 feet with a depth of 80, and it is purposed to add wings, giving a total frontage of 280 feet. The building will be two stories high.

—Lieutenant Governor Francis D. Winston left Windsor for Boston on Wednesday. He goes there to deliver the opening address at the great New England Fair which is held annually in that city. He goes to fill the place of Governor Glenn, whose engagements prevented his attendance.

—The recent increase in the capital stock of the Bank of Rocky Mount will help business in the town.

—Rocky Mount Special, Sept. 26: The new yards of the Atlantic Coast Line now nearing completion, will be among the most extensive track yards in the country. Adjoining these yards a real estate company has a tract of 110 acres, which has been cut up into building lots. Four hundred lots will be sold at auction Friday. The Coast Line has begun work on a freight station that will cost $15,000. Many handsome dwelling houses are in course of erection. A great deal of granolithic sidewalk has been laid recently.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Sept. 27: Complaint signed by Walter Clark, Jr., and Argo & Shaffer as attorneys for the Clark Manufacturing Company of Jonesboro, against the Western Union Telegraph Company has also been filed. The action is for eight hundred dollars damages for neglect and failure to deliver promptly a telegram from the New York commission agent to the plaintiff mill and a reply from the mill to the agent by which the advantageous sale of goods was prevented, such goods afterwards being sold at a lower price than that contemplated in the first telegram sent by said commission agent.

—Wilson Special, Sept. 26: At a special meeting of the Business Men's Association of Wilson it was decided to make an effort to secure the location of the shops of the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound Railroad in this city. It is thought that there is some likelihood of securing the shops. Inducements will be offered. A committee consisting of Messrs. J. C. Hales, F. W. Barnes, D. S. Boykin, George W. Connor and Doane Herring was appointed to take up the matter with the railroad people.

—Charlotte Special, Sept. 26: Edwin Roach, Jr., 15 years of age, accidently shot and killed himself this evening at 7 o'clock at his home while playing with a pistol. The details of the sad accident are not known except that the boy met death by accident. The mother, Mrs. Rowena Roach, is prostrated with grief. The father, E. R. Roach, came to Charlotte from Atlanta ten years ago and was a leading citizen of Charlotte for many years. Mrs. Roach at present being connected with several of the foremost families in this city.

—Roxboro Special, Sept. 26: Governor Glenn addressed a crowded house here today on the political issues. Fully seven hundred people were present and others were turned away for lack of room. The Governor first took up national issues and thoroughly excoriated the Republican party, particularly on the subject of the tariff, showing how it fostered trusts and monopolies. Turning his attention to State matters, he tore the mask from Republican pretensions and showed their complete hypocrisy. The cause of democracy was much advanced by his speech. Person county can be counted upon to roll up a large majority for the party in November.

—Wadesboro Special, Sept. 26: A young white man who gave his name as Thomas Wheeler and Philadelphia as his residence, and who acknowledged being the party who robbed several stores at Morven night before last, was arrested last night at Cheraw, S. C. He volunteered to return to North Carolina without requisition papers and after being detained at Morven last night conducted the owners of the goods he had stolen from from the stores three and a half miles from Morven where he had hid them in the swamp and showed them three hundred dollars worth of jewelry and other goods which he had stolen from the stores. They found everything that was missed. When asked where the rest of his crowd were he said that he was the whole thing and that no one was with him. Wheeler is thought to be the man who robbed some stores at Jonesboro a few nights ago, as he had in his possession a diamond ring and some other things which he said that he found in a lumber pile near Sanford. In default of bond Wheeler was placed in jail here until the next term of the Criminal Court for this county. He had something like two hundred dollars on his person when arrested though he did not get but two or three dollars from the stores he had robbed at Morven.

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HON. H. L. GODWIN AT SOUTHPORT

Able Discussion of National Issues in Speech Delivered Tuesday Night—Republican Prosperity, So-called, and the Source Whence It Comes.

Below is given a synopsis of the speech delivered by Hon. H. L. Godwin, Democratic nominee for Congress in this District, at Southport Tuesday night. Mr. Godwin was heard with interest and enthusiasm by a large crowd. Discussing National issues, he said:

For every day the country has prospered the Republicans claim that they are entitled to the credit for it; for every day the country has not prospered they claim that the Democratic party is entitled to the blame. The Republicans take credit to themselves for the prosperous condition of the country; they say that the Republican party is the author of prosperity and that the Democratic party is the author of adversity, this we deny; they claim credit for the excellent seasons which, combined with the industry of the American farmers, have produced the unprecedented crop for the last ten years. They refuse to concede that these immense crops have contributed anything to the prosperous times which we have all enjoyed and in which we have all rejoiced. Even the weather is managed by them and the earth gives forth its increase at their behest. Such inconceivable egotism and bombast was never known in the history of the world as is represented today by the Republican party from its head down to its lowest henchman.

Panic of 1893.

At the time of this panic we were living under laws enacted by a Republican Congress and signed by a Republican President. At that time we had not put a line of legislation on the statute books. We had a panic in this country in 1837, one in 1857, one in 1873 and the last in 1893. The panic of 1873 was far greater than the panic of 1893. With a population of forty-four million we had failures amounting to 228,000,000, while in 1893, with a population of sixty-six million we had failures amounting to $346,000,000. Our wealth in 1893 was twice as great as it was in 1873; notwithstanding all this the Republicans claim that the Democratic party is responsible for it all. They point to the conditon of the country in 1893 and claim that it was due to the election of Mr. Cleveland, but they forget that the panic commenced under Harrison's administration. They [illegible]m that the panic was brought

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The Proposed Bond Issue.

[illegible]e gold reserve under Mr. Har[illegible]'s administration, steadily declined under the operation of the Sherman Silver Purchase Act until Mr. Foster, secretary of the treasury, had directed the preparation of plates for the engraving of bonds so that he might buy gold, and when Mr. Cleveland was forced, under the operation of the Republicans laws, to use bonds, we are told by the Republicans that no blame at all attaches to their party but the Democratic party has ruined the country, and is responsible for it all. The Republicans, under the direction of Secretary Foster, proposed to issue $450,00,000 in treasury [illegible]urs and bonds with but $70,000,000 [illegible]d to redeem it. The Democrats [illegible]aled the Sherman Purchase Act and the condition of the country began to improve. The panic, as we all know, was in 1892, and reached its worst stage in 1893. Today the government admits a deficit, the National treasury is empty, on account of extravagance. Even in this year of National prosperity there is a deficit admitted on the part of the Republicans and they are forced to confess that the national treasury is empty. The Wilson bill was only in force two years, ten months and twenty-seven days, but understand, in the face of the fact, they have the nerve to contend that all the woes and sorrows produced from any cause, were [illegible]ntly attributable to this bill. One the [illegible] strongest features of the Wilson [illegible]s the income tax. Under the high protective tariff supported and kept on the statute books by the Republicans a few people in this country have become vastly rich at the expense of the many. Equal rights to none and special privileges to a few seems to have become the motto of their party. They allow them to charge the American citizen far more than they charge foreigners; thereby they are unable to build up great fortunes and impoverish the masses. In the face of all these unjust discriminations, they point with pride to the great prosperity of the country. Any law that enables a few to become vastly rich at the expense of the many is unjust and wrong.

Millions of dollars worth of goods are being shipped to foreign countries every year and sold there cheaper than to the home consumers. This charge has been denied by the Republicans in all of the previous campaigns, but this year they are forced to admit the truth of it and fail in their efforts to explain it. They try to contend that it is only the surplus sold abroad cheaper than at home. If this statement is true we ask why they do not sell the surplus at home?

Tariff.

The tariff law might be illustrated by a wall around the United States, across which nothing can pass. By the operation of this wall the manufacturers of the United States are permitted to say how high the price of manufactured articles shall be. England, Germany and France see the United States industriously engaged in growing great quantities of wheat, corn, cotton and other farm products and raw materials; they say we will load up our ships with shoes, boots, plows, hoes, harvesters, mechanic's tools and other manufactured articles, we will come over to the United States and exchange these articles for their products and raw materials, but when they reach port an officer of the United States acting under the operation of the high tariff says, you can not land your stuff without paying a duty or tax on it. The foreigner is not permitted to land his manufactured articles without paying his duty, and on account of this duty or tax he is precluded from competing with our manufacturers. The home manufacturer raises the price of his farm implements, mechanic's tools and other manufactured articles to a point just below the price of the foreign manufactured articles with the tax or tariff added; thereby he shuts out foreign competition and stifles trade. If you want to pay high prices for your necessities of life and see the man who indulges in luxuries pay less tariff than you, then you must continue to vote the Republican ticket.

I want to put a fair proposition to you; I want you to understand it; I would not deceive you, I would not ask you to vote for me or the Democratic ticket under any false impressions. Are there any farmers here? You go down town and pay $11.00 for a cultivator and the man who manufactured that cultivator takes the same machine over into Canada or Mexico, or across the Atlantic, and sells it for $8.00. The poor widow who has several children to support, wants a sewing machine, an agent representing the manufacturers comes along and says I will sell it to you for $25 and he will take the same machine over into another country and sell it for $15. The high tariff of the United States, endorsed by the Republican party, continues to allow him to do this because it excludes competition. Why should any American made goods be sold cheaper abroad than at home? They sell farm implements cheaper to the Austrian than they sell the same goods of the same grade to the American. These farm implements, such as are used every day by our farmers ,and such as they are bound to have, are sent one-third of the way around the world and the price which the foreigner pays is less than the price the American pays. Do you think the people of this country will always submit to this unjust discrimination?

A railroad is partly built in the United States and partly in Canada; the rails used are bought from the same manufacturer, the Steel Trust, but the rails sold on the Canadian side cost $4.00 per ton less than rails sold on the American side; why? because on the American side rails can only be bought from the trusts and the trust is protected from all outside competition by the tariff. The man who was building that road can buy rails either from England or America, and inasmuch as the Englishman was offering rails $4.00 per ton less than the American, you can see the trust was forced to meet competition or not sell at all on the Canadian side. But under the tariff wall, which is built around the United States, the Englishman can not meet the competition on the American side because before he can deliver his rails on the American side he must pay a tax. The same will apply to a railroad which is built partly in America and partly in Canada. The American people express wonder at this and say, "Why don't railroad people rise up in arms against it?" but the railroad people, in answer to this question say, "What difference is it to us? In the end the people of the United States who ride on our trains and ship their freight over our roads pay the difference in the price of the rails." And this is the truth. The people who ride, and the people who ship freight over these roads pay the difference.

OUR NEW RAILROAD SYSTEM.

Norfolk & Southern to Extend from Edenton to Western Carolina.

Norfolk, Va., September 26.—The stockholders of the Norfolk & Southern Railroad and the Virginia and Carolina Coast railroad companies are called to meet here October 16 to ratify the previous agreement of consolidation; to vote upon a proposition for the increase of the capital stock of the Norfolk and Western from $2,000,000 to $3,000,000 to provide for an extension of the road from Edenton, N. C., to a point near the northwestern boundry line of the State of North Carolina; to sell to the Atlantic and North Carolina company the Pamlico, Oriential and Western Railroad; to sell to the John L. Roper Lumber Company, of Virginia, that portion of the Virginia and Carolina Coast railroad companies miles extending south from Winthrope, N. C., and consider a resolution authorizing the John L. Roper Lumber Company to cancel its issue of $5,000,000 of sinking fund gold bonds and mortgage the same, and accept in lieu thereof $5,000,000 par value of an isue of $10,000,000 of sinking fund gold bonds of said Roper Company.

AN ANGEL ELEPHANT

By GRETCHEN CRAYDON

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"I wonder if you dream how adorable you are in that blue gown," Hetherton said, trying to possess himself of Philomena's hand.

She drew it away, pursed her lips daintily, and flung back at him, "Oh! It's the gown, is it? Thank you for telling me. I shall be sure to wear it the next time the MacCarty comes to see us."

"Confound the MacCarty!" Hetherton ejaculated. "I'd like to break his head for him, the presumptuous oaf. What business has he even to admire you?"

"Mayn't a cat look at a king?" Philomena interrupted demurely, her eyes dancing in the screen of their long lashes.

She had the charm of infinite variety. Some days she was positively ugly, others ravishingly beautiful. This was one of the beautiful days. She knew it, and acted upon the knowledge. She owed Hetherton for several things, chiefly Miss Mannering. He should be paid in full. He had never proposed to her outright, but all along assumed gayly that she would marry him, speaking openly, in a light comedy manner that might mean everything or nothing. She had not resented the light comedy manner, being by no means sure of her own mind.

Still it had been distinctly aggravating to have him run off after the Mannering girl the same as the other men. For two whole days he had kept in the new beauty's train; worse still, he had come back to Philomena not merely repentant, but with the air of one who feels that he has discharged the duty of a proper man.

"A cat may look at a king; the proverb is silent as to queens," Hetherton retorted. "Moreover, you can scarcely stretch it to fit an elephant, which is the MacCarty's animal prototype."

"Now I know how I came to promise him two dances—I adore elephants—always did," Philomena murmured, reflectively, as if aside.

Hetherton caught both her hands and drew her to her feet. "Do you mean to keep the promise?" he asked, his face darkening. She smiled up at him audaciously as she answered:

"Who knows? He may prefer to sit them out. But if he should, you needn't mind, we will take care to keep out of earshot of you and Miss Mannering"—

"Oh! I see," Hetherton laughed, not quite easily, but with a magical lightening of countenance. "I must say that will be handsome of you," he went on; then, his hands slipping up to her shoulders, "Sweetheart, let's run away from everything—the grand ball, the elephant, the Mannering—run away and get married. Listen! It will be so easy; only a spin across country to that dear little stone church we saw last week—we'll take along witnesses—and telegraph for our traps to follow us. 'If 'twere done, when 'twere done then 'twere well 'twere done quickly.' Think how much we shall escape, all the fuss and frills and upsetments of a big wedding. And this is the only way to escape them. I know your aunt has her heart set on St. Thomas', with twelve bridesmaids, and all the rest of it. Say yes, there's a darling. I will live just to keep you from being sorry for it, even one time."

"It sounds enticing," Philomena said, then with a reflective sigh: "But it can't be done. You see if I ran off with you, the Mannering would inevitably get the MacCarty and his millions. That's what she is here for, and that's what I'm bound not to let her do."

"Have your joke," Hetherton grumbled, trying to draw her to his breast.

She put him away with gentle dignity, saying: "But it is not a joke. That's why I am so provoked with you; you let yourself be one of her bait gudgeons. Oh, she's a shrewd piece—she knows a man like the MacCarthy means to pick a wife as he has picked a racing stable, from among those other men want very much."

"How do you know?" Hetherton demanded.

Philomena opened her eyes very wide. "Why, he told me so," she said. "You know we are great friends and talk of many things. And he is really vastly entertaining—such a big bulk of raw human nature, with streaks of wit and other streaks of understanding through its honest ignorance."

"H-m! You are somewhat a belle. How many times has he proposed to you?" Hetherton asked.

"Only once, the first day," Philomena said, smiling wickedly. "I asked time for consideration, but he wouldn't give it. He wanted a straight yes or no, but consoled me by telling me that if after awhile he was not engaged he would give me another chance. So I must be sure and make up my mind. I know he is not engaged, not unless Miss Mannering has landed him since morning."

"Is your mind made up?" Hetherton asked teasingly.

Philomena shook her head, but said brightly: "Not yet. Still, there's no telling what may happen between dances."

"Then you refuse—my plan and everything?" Hetherton said, paling visibly.

Philomena shot a glance at him and shivered faintly, but said, with an accent of gentle surprise, "Why, I did that some time ago."

"You will fight the Mannering woman for the MacCarty. You would not even raise a finger for me," Hetherton began bitterly.

Philomena laughed a soft, malicious laugh. "One saves a novice from drowning. A swimmer who knows the waters is apt to regard help as an impertinence," she said.

Hetherton set his teeth. "Goodby," he said, hardly above his breath, holding out his hand. Philomena looked at him doubtfully and asked, "Where are you going?"

"I don't know—to the devil most likely," he answered recklessly.

"Beg pardon, telegram for you, sir," a footman said, coming to the pair with a yellow envelope on his tray.

Hetherton tore it open, glanced at its contents, then stood twisting it between his fingers and smiling an odd, dazed smile. After a long breath he took Philomena in his arms and kissed her, saying in her ear:

"Luck has stood your friend. I'm a beggar, or shall be in two hours more. That was a call for margins I can no more put up than I can fly. I've been speculating wildly. I wanted you so badly I thought I must offer you millions no less than myself. Until today they seemed in my grasp. That was why I dared. But I'm losing everything at once."

"Not quite," she said, clinging to him, her eyes shining up at him through a mist of tears. "You may have me, if you lose everything else. I'm not afraid of poverty if I may have love."

"Seems like it's time I took a hand in this game," a throaty voice said behind them, and there stood the MacCarty, very red, and all over perspiration. He had been ambushed all the while in the summer house outside which the lovers stood. "You folks think list'nin' ain't the right thing," he went on. "No more it ain't, but I waked from a nap as you were in the midst o' talkin', and it didn't take ten words to show me the lay o' the land. I like the lay of it. The little lady thar," nodding toward Philomena, "has got me doped out fine and pat, but she didn't make sport of the old galoot. She said it in sport, but she has looked out fer me. And more'n that, she's made me understand thar was at least one woman money couldn't buy. You ain't half good enough fer her," this to Hetherton with a chuckle. "But since it appears she likes the looks o' ye, be hanged if you're a-goin' to take her and try love in a cottage. At least, not onless the cottage's got all the fixin's. No need to tell me how you stand. I ain't quite out o' the market if I am up here in the mountains, courtin' and rusticatin'. If you need margins, I know the reason why. Go right straight to the telephone. I'll be along o' ye; together we'll get the straight o' things down to a dot over my private wire. I'm goin' to see you through if it takes one million or even two. But when you are through you git married and keep out of sech messes."

"I will," Hetherton said, holding out his hand.

Before the MacCarty could take it Philomena flung herself between them, threw her arms about his thick neck and kissed him on both cheeks. "You're an angel elephant," she murmured. "I shall love you always, no matter what he says," with a nod toward Hetherton.

"He says, 'Amendment accepted,'" Hetherton said, wringing the MacCarty's hand.

That gentleman laughed apologetically, but returned the grip heartily, and said as he puffed away with Hetherton at his elbow:

"It takes jest an angel elephant to skeen the bulls and bears good and hard."

Starving to Death.

Because her stomach was so weakened by useless drugging that she could not eat, Mrs. Mary H. Walters, of St. Clair St., Columbus, O., was literally starving to death. She writes: "My stomach was so weak from useless drugs that I could not eat, and my nerves so wrecked that I could not sleep; and not before I was given up to die was I induced to try Electric Bitters; with the wonderful result that improvement began at once, and a complete cure followed." Best health Tonic on earth. 50c. Guaranteed R. R. Bellamy druggist.

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Cheviots in Black, Blue and Fancy Mixtures, well made and the best moderate price suits we know of. Prices from $1.50 to $3.00.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON. N. C.

Friday Morning, Sept. 28, 1906.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 28, 1906.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Thursday, Sept. 27th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 71 degrees; 8 P. M., 74 degrees maximum, 82 degrees, minimum, 66 degrees; mean, 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .05; rainfall since first of the month to date, 3.37 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River 8 A. M., Wednesday, 6 feet.

For North Carolina—Rain Friday and probably Saturday; fresh to brisk southeast winds on the coast.

PORT ALMANAC—Sept. 28th.

Sun Rises .. ..5:51 A. M.
Sun Sets .. ..5:49 P. M.
Day's Length .....12 hrs 23 min.
High Water at Wilmington, 4:40 A.M.
High Water at Southport, 7:10 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. H. Bryan, of Lumberton, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. R. Williamson, of Whiteville, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Messrs. C. H. Ogden and C. B. Wright, of Raleigh, were among last evening's arrivals.

—Rev. A. McCullen left yesterday for Raleigh where he expects to spend several days.

—Miss Belle Anderson has returned to the city after a pleasant visit to friends in Pittsboro, N. C.

—Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy returned yesterday from Raleigh where he had been to argue several cases before the Supreme Court.

—Misses Daisy and M. D. Cronly left yesterday for New York where they will spend a month or six weeks on a pleasure trip.

—Superintendent G. W. Ribble, of the Postal Telegraph Cable Company, with headquarters in Washington, D. C., was in the city yesterday.

—Miss Louise Hill has returned from Saluda, N. C., where she spent the past Summer and will resume her position as a teacher in Hemenway school.

—Mr. A. W. Reiger, of Brunswick county, was in the city yesterday on his way to Annapolis where he will resume his course at the Naval Academy.

—Mr. E. C. Beddingfield, of the North Carolina Corporation Commission, is in the city. Mr. Beddingfield is in the East in the interest of the Democratic campaign and reports that affairs are in good shape.

—Mr. Chas. Strosnider, who has been in the A. C. L. general offices in this city, left yesterday for the Baltimore Medical College where he will pursue his studies during the coming term.

—William J. Bellamy, Esq., returned yesterday from Southport where he has been attending Brunswick Superior Court. Mr. Bellamy was called back to Wilmington by the calling of the Shockley case in the Superior Court here.

CUTTING AFFAIR AT SOUTHPORT

Bloody Encounter in Front of Court House Tuesday Night.

Persons returing from Brunswick court at Southport yesterday told of a sensational cutting affair that occurred just in front of the Court House there while Hon. H. L. Godwin was speaking Tuesday night. It came near breaking up the political meeting and furnished a sensation in the court the following day. It seems that a young man named R. M. Beck was indicted in the court for seduction and that after the trial Tuesday one Hewett, the prosecuting witness, was accosted by Beck, the defendant; his father, Samuel Beck, and two other men named Patterson and Pierce, who took the witness to task for what he had sworn to. A general fight ensued in which Hewett was dangerously stabbed and one of his arms was broken. The parties to the assault were at once brought before Judge Council on a bench warrant and given trial. All the men except Patterson were convicted and fined. Hewett is thought to be out of danger.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp Bereaved.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Sharp, 320 South Fourth street, extend deepest sympathy in the death of their infant son, Clayton E. Sharp, which occurred yesterday at the family home. The funeral will be conducted at 9 o'clock this morning and the interment will be in Belevue cemetery.

For developing the Figure. Cleanliness is the first law in medicine. If you want a fine figure and good health, use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents.—J. H. Bunting Drug Co. **

Go to Gaylord's Big Sale. Now on. $1.00 Ladies' Kid Gloves, 50c pair. **

THE SHOCKLEY TRIAL

(Continued From First Page.)

in the afternoon ran down on the suburban line for a ride to the Sound.

While the Shockley jury was being selected yesterday the grand jury came into court in a body and returned true bills for murder against William Ashe, colored, charged with the murder of Mary McKoy, alleged to be his wife, in this city Wednesday afternoon, and the negro Fred Hill, alias Fields, charged with the killing of Charlie Washington, on Seventh street, Sunday night. Neither of the defendants have been taken.

All efforts having failed in securing a jury for the Shockley case, Judge Jones went into the cases that had come in from the magistrates' courts during the day, instead of leaving them over until the next term as has been the custom at some terms before. Burt Green, a notorious negro, had been committed from the Mayor's court at noon and the grand jury having passed the bills, he was at once araigned on charges of assault with a deadly weapon on Betsie Mills; carrying a concealed weapon and resisting Officer M. P. Newton some time ago. Burt was arrested Wednesday night for being drunk and down and when he was arraigned in the Mayor's court all these old charges were brought up against him with the result that he was bound over in the cases named. After trial he was given eight months on the roads for resisting the offier. He was found guilty of the assault and judgment was suspended in the case of carrying a concealed weapon.

Allen Wilson, a negro tried earlier in the week for the larceny of $135 in money from an old colored woman living in "Blood Block" alley, was given two years on the roads. The old woman's appearance didn't seem to indicate that she had 35 cents, much less $135 and the case was left open to ascertain if she really did have the money. She recently came from Boardman and a telegram from there was exhibited to the court showing that she really did have $135 when she left there some time ago.

A little after 6 o'clock court took a recess until 9 o'clock this morning, half an hour earlier in order that as much progress as possible may be made on the Shockley case.

Y. M. C. A. RECEPTION.

"Open House" Affair at Popular Wilmington Institution To-night.

One of the pleasant social events of the session will take place at the Y. M. C. A. to-night in its annual "Opening Reception." This is always a very pleasant affair and this one will prove of no exception. Last year about 500 people attended and it is believed that a far larger number will do so this year. The reception will be held in the spacious gymnasium so as to comfortably accomodate those who will be present. The decorations will be quite elaborate and fitting. The public is invited. Mrs. Covington, the president of the Ladies' Auxilary and a large reception committee will be present to meet all those who attend and make the evening pleasant. Strangers in the city are especially invited. There will be a fine musical programme including a vocal solo by Miss Carrie E. Barker; a selection by the Acme Male Qaurtette; an address by Dr. A. D. McClure on "The Association, Its Importance in the Community;" a selection by Miss Barker, and a selection by the Acme Male Quartette.

Miss Barker is visiting Wilmington and is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Harper. Possibly no singer who has come to the city during the past several years has given so much real pleasure to those who have been so fortunate as to hear her. She has a deep, rich contralto voice and is a highly cultivated singer. The Acme Male Quartette is too well known as a pleasing attraction to need any further introduction.

After the musical programme and address the refreshment committee, of which Mrs. C. T. Harper is the chairman, will serve dainty refreshments. One of the other very pleasing features will be an hour's musical programme by a splendid orchestra especially engaged for the evening. This will be from 8:30 to 9:30.

Salvation Army Headquarters.

The local post of the Salvation Army has rented from Mr. James F. Woolvin, the owner, the old armory of the Wilmington Division, Naval Reserves, in the old Court House building and has moved its headquarters there. The lease is for one year and the place is admirably adapted to the needs of the post for its services. The old headquarters on Second street have been rented by Mr. Garrell to other parties. The Naval Reserves have removed their armory to the basement of the City Hall in the room formerly occupied by the Second Regiment Band, which will be fitted up handsomely.

Extra help to serve you to-day at Gaylord's Big Sale; 8 more days. **

At Delmonico's.

Kalamazoo Celery and California Fruits. Sept. 28-1wk **

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Norfolk tugs Lugenbachs, which have been "seeking" off this coast since the storm, put to sea for Norfolk yesterday.

—By deed filed for record yesterday S. M. Empie, commissioner, transferred to William B. McClellan, for $850, property on west side of Sixth street, 90 feet south of Church street, 26x165 fee. in size.

—Capt. Lamson, of the schooner Kate B. Ogden which arrived yesterday from Philadelphia, reported having passed on Wednesday 22 miles off Frying Pan Lightship, a schooner entirely submerged, masts sticking up and very dangerous to navigation.

—Miss Rosa Gillerlain gave a delightful birthday party at her home, No. 307 Harnett street, last night in honor of attaining her 17th year. A large number of friends were present and quite a number of handsome presents were received. Refreshments were served and the guests were delighted with the entertainment.

—The Star is in receipt of a communication from Fort Caswell asking that correction be made of a score in a game of baseball that was recently played between the team from the army post there and Wilmington. As the score was not published in this paper, there is no more to say than that the figures were 10 to 7 in favor of Caswell.

—As yet William Ashe and Fred Hill, alias Fields, wanted for the two murders committed in Wilmington this week, are still at large, though the authorities still have hope of bagging both of them. It was reported that Ashe was seen in the city yesterday, but it proved to be a brother of the man wanted.

—Hon. H. L. Godwin was in the city yesterday, returning from Southport, where he addressed a large crowd on Tuesday night. Mr. Godwin hopes to speak in New Hanover some time during the coming week. His address at Southport is given elsewhere in to-day's paper in synopsis.

—The schooners Everett Webster, Capt. Maxwell, and Kate B. Ogden, Capt. Lamson, arrived yesterday from Philadelphia, both with cargoes of coal, the former for discharge at the Atlantic Coast Line wharves and the last named at the Springer Coal Company. Both reported to C. D. Maffitt.

—The British steamer Nolisement, 2,492 tons, Capt. Young, arrived yesterday from Buenos Ayres to Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, for cargo of cotton. The Nolisement ranks in size almost with the Anglo-Saxon already at the Champion Compress wharves and having a capacity of something over 15,000 bales.

POLICE COURT YESTERDAY.

Number of Cases Disposed of Yesterday Before the Mayor.

Before the Mayor yesterday there were several cases of more than passing interest. Robert Martin, driver of a dray for Jno. H. Whiteman, the well known colored wood dealer, was fined $5 and costs for driving too fast around down town corners, the arrest having been by Officer M. P. Newton.

John Watson was charged by his brother's wife with disorderly conduct, but before court she withdrew the warrant, paid the costs and Watson was discharged.

Robert McClain and Lottie Davis, negroes, charged with disorderly conduct on Kidder's Hill, were arrested by Officer T. G. Evans. McLean was sent to the roads for 30 days and the woman was let off with $5 and costs.

Burt Green was picked up by Officer M. C. Gray for being drunk and down. For that offence he was given 20 days on the roads. Old warrants charging him with assault with a deadly weapon and resisting Officer M. P. Newton were found in the archives of the police court and he was bound over in each of those cases. In the Superior Court in the afternoon, he was given eight months on the roads for resisting the officer.

SAD DEATH OF A YOUNG MAN.

Mr. Leslie McAllister, of Pender County, Passed Away Here.

After an illness of twelve weeks with typhoid fever, Mr. Leslie McAllister, of Pender county, died yesterday morning in the James Walker Memorial Hospital, in this city. The young man was a son of Mr. S. E. McAllister, of Harrison Creek, Pender county, and was only 22 years of age. He is spoken of as a young man of many fine traits of character and his death is greatly deplored by all of his acquaintances. Only a few months ago another son of the same family died in this city at the hospital.

The remains of Mr. McAllister were taken on the evening train yesterday to Rocky Point and from there will be conveyed to Harrison Creek, the old family home, for interment.

Remains Taken to Ashton, N. C.

The remains of the late Miss Alice Armsby who died in Savannah and who was brought to this city Wednesday afternoon, were taken yesterday morning to Ashton, N. C., for interment, accompanied by members of the family. The pall-bearers from the residence to the station were Messrs. L. O. Hill, L. M. Mitchell, M. C. Wallace and Henry Carroll.

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Light and Dark Patterns, suitable for school girls dresses. 10 cents per yard.

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Spring heel pat tip, lace, 5 to 8, 50 cents.

8 to 11 Dongola Pat Tip, 75 cents.

8 to 11 Button and Lace Pat Tip, $1.00.

8 to 11 Button and Lace Pat Tip, $1.25.

12 to 2 girls medium and heavy, $1.00 to $1.75.

12 to 2 boys heavy school shoes, $1.00 to $1.50.

3 to 5 youth's heavy school shoes, $1.25 to $2.50.

BOY'S SCHOOL SUITS

Black clay worsted, size 5 to 16, 98 cents.

Plaids and Stripe worsted and check cashmere, size 6 to 17, worth $2.00, our price $1.50.

BLUE AND BLACK FLANNEL THIBET

Plaid, Check and Solid color cashmere and fancy worsted for school boys, $2.50.

BOYS' SCHOOL PANTS

Blue Serge and Fancy Mixed, size 5 to 16, 25 cents.

Blue Serge and Fancy Mixed, size 5 to 16, 50 cents.

Extra heavy fancy mixed and solid, size 5 to 16, 75 cents and $1.00.

BOYS' SCHOOL CAPS

Blue Yacht, Golf, Combination Gladstone and Automobile, 25 cents. Silk Yacht, black 25 cents. Fancy and Blue Serge Yacht, also Tam-o-Shanters, for school girls and boys, 50 cents.

GIRLS' SCHOOL HATS

All colors and styles. Sailors, small, medium and wide 50 and 75 $1.50. Fancy shapes, 75 cents to $1.50.

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THE McKANNA CURE.

Ministerial Association Co-operating With Doctor for General Treatment.

Recognizing the merits of the Three Day Liquor Cure as administered by Dr. J. J. McKanna, of Reidsville, and demonstrated by him in the class of five patients treated at The Orton earlier in the week, the Wilmington Ministerial Association has eagerly accepted the offer of the proprietor of the cure to administer the treatment to as many worthy persons as they will recommend to him and to the end that as many may receive the benefit of the offer as possible, the announcement is requested that each of the pastors in the city remain in their studies to-day and to-morrow from 5 to 7 P. M., to receive the requests of any who desire the treatment for themselves or for some loved one.

It is understood that a hall has been rented by the pastors and that the treatment will begin Monday not later than noon. Dr. McKanna has written for trained attendants from his sanitarium at Reidsville to take charge of the class which it is expected will consist of a hundred or more. There will be absolutely no cost attached to the cure and Dr. McKanna says he will take care of as many as the pastors will recommend, if the number is three hundred.

NOVEL SUIT INSTITUTED.

Wilmington Automobilist Asked For Damages as Result of Collision.

The Pender Chronicle of this week has the following in regard to a novel damage suit against Mr. Walter Sprunt, of this city, growing out of an automobile collision with a bicyclist in Wilmington last Spring:

"Mr. R. G. Grady is attorney for Mr. Hanson Futch, of Rocky Point, who instituted in the Superior Court here Sautrday a suit against Mr. Walter Sprunt, of Wilmington, in which he seeks to recover damages against Mr. Sprunt for running over him with an automobile at Fifth and Nixon streets in Wilmington last May. The complaint has not been filed, but it is understood that he will allege that he was seriously, if not permanently injured, and on account of the injuries has been unable to do but little manual labor since the injury.

COLORED LODGE SESSIONS.

Grand Gathering of United Sons and Daughters of Salem.

The Grand Session of the United Sons and Daughters of Salem, a prominent colored fraternal organization, has just been held at Phoenix, Brunswick county. The session is reported as a success in every particular. During the year $650 was paid out of the treasury for benevolent purposes and other good work was accomplished. The session adjourned to meet again at Wallace, N. C., on September 25th, 1907. Rachel Freeman is Grand President and Prof. J. A. Holt, of this city, Grand Secretary of the order.

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Many of the largest and most conservative life insurance companies in the world invest largely in mortgages, as experience has taught them that this is one of the safest and most profitable ways to invest money.

If you have funds to invest in this manner consult us.

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BAGGING AND TIES.

And a full stock of other groceries always on hand.

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FOURTH VICTIM OF MURDRESS

Woman Confined in New York Asylum Murdered Nurse in Shocking Manner.

LUNATIC WAS GYPSY WOMAN

Had Previously Slain Husband and Two Women and Hid Bodies Under House—Had Insane Fondness For Nurse.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Newburgh, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Lizzie Halliday, a murderess confined in the Matthewan hospital for insane criminals, made a fatal asasult today on a female attendant, Miss Nellie Wicks aged 21. Miss Wicks had occasion to go into the lavatory adjoining the ward about 8:30. The Halliday woman followed her in, knocked her down and taking a pair of scissors from Miss Wicks, stabbed her in the throat. Miss Wicks died two hours later. Lizzie Halliday, who is a gypsy, in 1893 killed her husband Paul and two women, concealing the bodies under the house, at Burlingame, a little place in Sullivan county.

An insane fondness for Miss Wicks and violent opposition to the nurse's impending departure from the hospital was the motive which prompted Mrs. Halliday to the murder. Mrs. Halliday had displayed a great deal of affection for Miss Weeks and the nurse had made her one of her most trusted patients. A few weeks ago Miss Wicks told Mrs. Halliday that she was going to leave the hospital to engage in private nursing. Mrs. Halliday seemed to be greatly depressed and begged the young woman not to leave and declared that she would kill her before she would allow her to leave the asylum. Although Mrs. Halliday had made several attacks on other attendants she had also made so many idle threats that no attention was paid to her threats. Miss Wicks pretended to humor her but continued her preparations to leave. This morning when Miss Wicks entered the lavatory Mrs. Halliday followed her and locked the door on the inside, leaving the key in the door so that none of the other attendants could open it.

Then Mrs. Halliday knocked the young woman down and attacked her with her scissors. Miss Wicks shrieks brought the other attendants to the scene and they forced the door and overcame the insane woman after a desperate struggle.

Miss Wicks' home was on Long Island, where her parents now reside.

BRYAN STANDS FOR HEARST.

Says He Will Make Strong Race in New York.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Guthrie, Okla., September 27.—Guthrie accorded William J. Bryan a hearty reception tonight. The Nebraskan devoted half an hour to an address in which he merely touched on the national issues. He enlisted prolonged applause when he mentioned the carpet bagger in politics and warned the voters of Oklahoma against railroad influence in the constitutional —convention. A great cheer greeted the reference to his public railroad ownership proposition. Mr. Bryan talked from the observation car of a special Fanta Fe train, arriving at 4 o'clock from Perry, Okla. He made eleven speeches today at as many points in the territory. Among those accompanying the Nebraskan are Chiefs Rogers and Porter, of the Cherokee and Creek Indian tribes.

"I am much gratified at the nomination of Mr. Hearst," he said, "because I feel that he will make not only a strong race, but also a good governor if he is elected."

TRAIN WRECKED ON SOUTHERN.

Rails Were Removed from Trestle By Wreckers.

Columbia, S. C., September 27.—Southern Railway passenger train No. 30, northbound, was derailed at Coosawahatchie trestle, five miles from Allendale, at 3 o'clock this morning. Fireman Andrew Kemp, colored, was killed, and Engineer J. E. McDaniel was painfully scalded. None of the passengers were injured.

The fireman, who lived about two hours after the accident, stated that he noticed a rail had been removed from the trestle, just as the engine struck the place where the accident occurred. The engine and three cars left the track and completely turned over at the bottom of a 20 foot embankment. The day coach, which is of the steel type, was the only car not damaged.

Dogs were sent for to trail the wreckers, who had taken up several rails on the trestle and rolled them to one side, removed angle bars and pulled out spikes.

Adolph Weber, who murdered his parents, setting fire to the house afterwards, was hanged at Sacramento, Cal., yesterday.

Ask for a cake of Cuticle Soap; free at Gaylord's store. **

TROPICAL HURRICANE WREAKS DESTRUCTION

(Continued From Page Eight.)

houses in that section are under from five to ten feet of water, and many women have been taken from the second story windows and carried to safety in boats.

The estimated property damage is $3,000,000. Every house in Pensacola has suffered damage and many roofs are blown off. Telephone and telegraph and electric light wires are among the mass.

The water front is strewn with wreckage for miles on either side of the city, and vessels are piled on the wharves, or where the wharves once were, in utter ruin. Big iron steamers and many lighter sailing ships are lying high and dry up in the city where the tide has never been known to reach. Everywhere wharves for miles around have been swept away or or is damaged beyond repair. The electrical power was shut off at one o'clock this morning. There is no street car traffic and communication with the outside world is practically cut off. The streets of Pensacola are strewn with timbers, tin roofing and broken glass.

This dispatch with other telegraphic matter is being carried to Flomaton, Alabama, by the Western Union manager, who makes the trip by train to ascertain the exact extent of damage done here and elsewhere. It is feared great havoc and loss of life will be shown when reports from the entire section along the coast can be gathered.

Storm Severe at New Orleans.

New Orleans, September 27.—A tropical hurricane has been driving the water of the Gulf of Mexico in shore for the past eighteen hours with winds of 45 to 60 miles an hour. The storm had not abated early this afternoon.

Great loss of property, but no loss of life, had been reported up to this afternoon. Nevertheless great apprehension is felt for the towns along the general coast which are cut off from communication with New Orleans. This apprehension was increased by several narrow escapes from drowning reported during the day.

The first meagre details to reach the city from outlying districts told of havoc wrought by Lake Ponchartrain on the outlying portion of New Orleans, the lake having risen about five feet because of the incoming waters. All railroad, telegraph and telephone communication was cut off. The road bed of the Louisville & Nashrville Railroad was submerged at Lake Calherine, an inlet from the Gulf, five miles east of here. The New Orleans and Northeastern Railroad reported that their trestle of Lake Ponchartrain was under water for a distance of 15 miles. Queen and Crescent trains were prevented from entering the city by the rise in the lake.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago, 4; Washington, 7.
Detroit, 3; Philadelphia, 0.
Cleveland, 10; New York, 1.
Cleveland, 2; New York, 2 (second game, called in 6th, darkness).

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 5; Boston, 3.
Philadelphia, 9; Pittsburg, 3.
New York-Cincinnati, rain.
Brooklyn, 4; Chicago, 0.

LAND SUIT IN PENDER.

Proceedings Against Lumber Company and Others In Wilmington.

ThePender Chronicle, of Burgaw, in its issue this week, has the following:

"The complaint in the case of L. W. McKoy against the Cape Fear Lumber Company, Mitchell and Taylor, and the New Hanover Shingle Mills, a suit recently brought here was filed Saturday. The plaintiff is seeking to recover from the defendants a tract of land containing 1,000 acres and damages in the sum of $4,850. The plaintiff alleges that he sold to the Cape Fear Lumber Co., in 1893, only the standing timber on the land that would measure 10 inches in diameter at that time, the consideration of which was $750; that in 1903 the Cape Fear Lumber Co., sold to Mitchell and Taylor for $5,000 the land, timber, and warranted and defended the title to the same, and placed Mitchell and Taylor in possession under the same; that from 1903 up to present time, the Cape Fear Lumber Co., Mitchell & Taylor and the New Hanover Shingle Mills have cut a large quantity of timber (including the growth of the timber since 1893) which timber was not conveyed by the plaintiff to the Cape Fear Lumber Co.; that they have cut a large quantity of cross ties, several hundred cords of lightwood, have built a railroad across the land, and have hauled and removed from said land large quantities of dirt used in building a railroad across a bay on other lands and to obtain the dirt, they dug deep holes and excavations in the plaintiff's land.

"Mr. Robert G. Grady of Wilmington, is the attorney for Mr. McKoy, and was here Saturday to file the complaint.

Love Plants of West Indies.

"Did you ever hear of the love plant?" asked a sea captain who was showing several visitors over his craft the other day. "I have several in the cabin."

He showed three small leaves attached to the ceiling by strings. They were without any soil or foundation, but were green, and from each there sprouted a dozen or more little leaves, greener and fresher than the main leaf itself.

"During our last cruise in the West Indies," the captain continued, "I visited a deserted English fortress, which was grown over with shrubbery. A native plucked several leaves from a vine and told me to hang them somewhere and write the name of my best girl on them. 'If they die,' he said, 'she does not love you. If they sprout, she does.' I put my wife's name on one and my two daughters' names on the others. You see, although they have been without nourishment for three months, all three are sprouting well and my family's affections seem assured."—Philadelphia Record.

Colors.

White is the emblem of light, religious purity, innocence, faith, joy and life. In the judge it indicates integrity; in the sick, humility; in the woman, chastity. Red, the ruby, signifies fire, divine love and royalty. White and red roses express love and wisdom. Blue, or the sapphire, expresses heaven, the firmament, truth from a celestial origin, constancy and fidelity. Yellow or gold is the symbol of the sun, of marriage and faithfulness. Green, the emerald, is the color of spring, of hope—particularly of the hope of immortality and of victory, as the color of the laurel and palm. Violet, the amethyst, signifies love and truth or passion and suffering. Purple and scarlet signify things good and true from a celestial origin. Black corresponds to despair, darkness, earthliness, mourning, negation, wickedness and death.

A Rhapsody on a Mutton Chop.

When a primitive man wants breakfast he takes a sheep, kneels upon it, holds it between his legs and cuts its throat. He skins it, and, taking a slice out of it, fries it on the coals for breakfast. We also demand not less imperatively cutlets for our breakfast, but we manage it another way. We procure an individual some way off to kill the beast and another out of our sight to cook it. We have a paper frill put around the bone to disguise it, and set a pot of flowers straight before us to look at while we eat it; but, to the sheep—to the sheep—it can make little difference which way it is eaten. We still do our unclean work, but we do it by proxy. And it may be questioned whether what we gain in refinement we have not lost in sincerity.—Fortnightly Review.

The Mineral Jade.

Most people have probably seen jade ornaments without having a very clear idea of the material of which such things are composed. Jade is an exceedingly tough but beautiful mineral, much of which is found in China. It is of five colors, the most highly prized jade being the white, yellow and green varieties. The rarest of all is red jade, but this is so scarce that it has no place in market valuations. The mineral is frequently found in the beds of streams, and in searching for it Mohammedans are generally employed, as it is believed that people of this faith are sensitive to its presence, and, like the dowsers or water finders, are affected with shuddering fits when passing over a place where jade is to be found.

Animals Clever With Their Feet.

Goats are the most sure footed of our native animals. They can walk upright where the average human being would not crawl. Horses are the daintiest treaders, however, though they cannot climb. No horse will step on a man if it can possibly help it. It is a standing rule in cavalry regiments that if a trooper is dismounted he must remain perfectly still, when the whole column passes over him without injuring him. Camels are careless, on the other hand, and the man who came out unharmed from under the feet of a camel corps was not born to be run over by any beast or vehicle.

Aerated Water.

Artificially aerated drinking waters were the invention of the chemist Joseph Priestley, who in 1772 published his "Directions For Impregnating Water With Fixed Air In Order to Communicate to It the Peculiar Spirit and Virtues of Pyrmont Water and Other Mineral Waters of a Similar Nature." Some one has calculated the consumption of aerated waters in Great Britain and Ireland to amount to 200,000,000 gallons a year.—London Standard.

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HEAVY EARTHQUAKE IN PORTO RICO.

Series of Violent Shocks Began 10:47 O'clock Yesterday Morning.

NO LOSS OF LIFE REPORTED

Inhabitants Thrown Into Condition of Consternation and Indescribable Alarm—Shocks General In Island Buildings Shattered.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

San Juan, P. R., September 27.—The city of San Juan, and the Island of Porto Rico, experienced a series of earthquake shocks today beginning at 10:47 A. M. The people were thrown into a condition of consternation and indescribable alarm, but the resultant damage was comparatively slight and there has been no loss of life.

In San Juan the people were stunned and when they realized that an earthquake was upon them, consternation and alarm prevailed throughout the city.

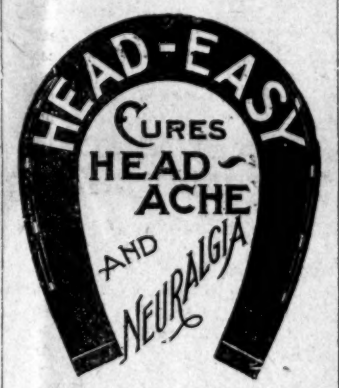
Panic reigned and hysterical women fainted. Many began praying in the streets, while large numbers rushed to the churches. The schools were stampeded and the children narrowly escaped injury in rushing from the buildings. The government buildings, on the principal square in San Juan, were quickly emptied, everybody rushing frantically to the open hunting places of safety.

The walls of the city hall, the infantry barracks, the postoffice and the women and children's hospital were cracked in many places. The old artillery building near the site now occupied by the quartermasters office was badly damaged.

Reports received here from other points on the island show that the shock was general. School houses, and houses in Humacao, Guyamo and Fajarde were slightly damaged.

Quake at St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., September 27.—There was a sharp and prolonged earthquake shock here early this morning, but no damage was done. The frequency of the earth shocks lately is causing some alarm here.



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AUTHOR DIXON SCORES A POINT

Won Out in Suit With Dramatist of His Novel "The Only Woman"—Preacher-Writer Ready to Give Fight.

New York, Sept. 26.—Paul Potter, dramatist, and Thomas Dixon, Jr., author and dramatist, are at loggerheads over the dramatization of Mr. Dixon's novel, "The One Woman." The first legal battle was fought out in the First Municipal Court, and in that Mr. Dixon gained the victory. But Mr. Potter says it is not all over yet.

Mr. Dixon took the stand and told how he had entered into a contract with Mr. Potter on February 14th of this year, by the terms of which the two were to collaborate in the dramatization of "The One Woman." Mr. Dixon said Mr. Potter had a ten-page contract drawn up for him to sign, but that he tore it up, as it was too complicated and provided for too many forfeitures on his part.

Then he and Mr. Potter entered into a short written contract, which was supplemented later on by several oral agreements.

Mr. Dixon said that he had paid Mr. Potter $500 in cash at the very first agreeing to pay him 2 1-2 per cent. of the royalties on the play, and he hadn't broken away from Mr. Potter until the latter had demanded 5 per cent. of the royalties. Judge Joseph decided the case in favor of Mr. Dixon and awarded him the $500.

There was danger of Potter holding up the first night production in Norfolk next Monday, but with this round of the battle won by Dixon there is no longer danger of that. Mr. Dixon said last night that he was ready to give Potter all the fight that he wanted from the time that he started out with his company.

The Fields of Peace.

It was the belief of the ancient Egyptians, according to a recent writer, that everything, material and immaterial, had its immortal double. Out of this grew the idea of a life in the future state of perfect happiness in the "fields of peace." For a long time the common people regarded these "fields of peace" not as a celestial place, but as situated in the fertile and well watered regions of the Nile delta in the northwest of Egypt, where the blessed ever breathed the cool north wind. Here they lived an ideal form of their life upon earth. They plowed their fields and grew the grain which supplied them with the "bread which grew not stale and beer that never became sour." Here was situated the duplicate of their earthly towns or villages.

Portuguese Bullfights.

At Portuguese bullfights not only are the points of the bulls' horns sawed off, but the stumps that remain are carefully padded. The horses also are ridden with consummate skill, and every precaution is taken to prevent the bull touching them. Banderillas are used by the men on foot and on horseback and are planted in the neck of the bull, which irritates the bull, but cannot be described as torture. Just as much skill is shown as in a Spanish bullfight, and there may be just as beautiful a display of costumes, but there is no killing either of the bull or of the horses.

A Woman's Revenge.

It is perfectly incomprehensible how man can go on wearing the clothes he does—how he can balance on his head a huge black jam pot with a ledge to it, incase his limbs in long, tight sacks of dingy hue and wear round his manly throat something resembling a shining metal band. Every new fashion for man that comes out appears to me uglier than the last.—Spinster in M. A. P.

A Lofty Death.

Asama is a volcano in Japan. A young man of that country grew despondent the other day and threw himself into the crater, leaving this letter: "Suffering a feeling of despair impels me to throw myself into the crater of vehement Asama, thus winning a splendid death and ascending the mountain's smoke to a lofty life above the sky."

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A Safety Match.

"Papa, what is a safety match?" Mr. Henpecked (looking carefully about to see if his wife is within hearing distance)—A safety match, son, is when a baldheaded man marries an armless woman.

Poor Fellow.

Mrs. Browne—He certainly does live high. It seems to me his whole thought is of his victuals. Mrs. Malaprop—That's the truth. He's jest what you might call a reg'lar ipecac.

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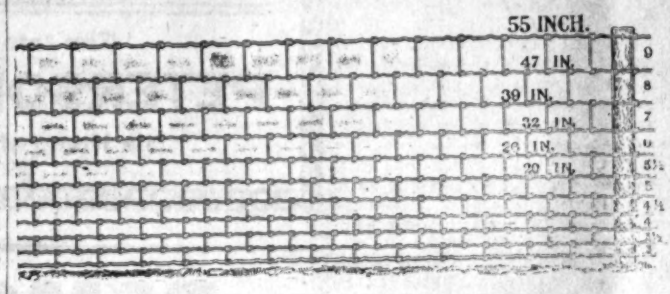

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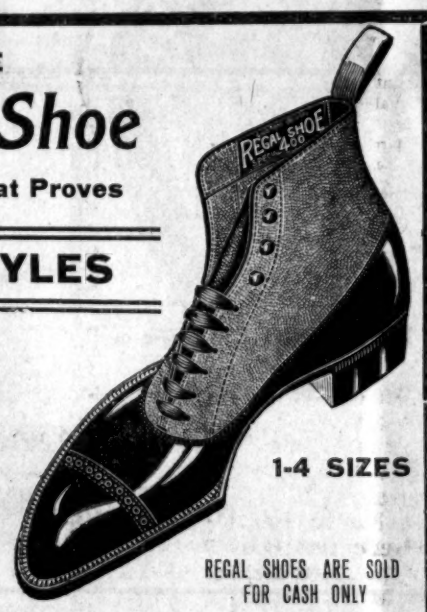

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9.00 p m	8.30 p m	8.00 p m
10.00 p m	9.30 p m	9.00 p m
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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12.10p m	9.32 p m
Ar Wilson	1.12 p m	10.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	2.08 p m	11.00 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5.55 p m	
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar. Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar. Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar. New York	7.30 a m	3.00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	1 58 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	3 12 p m	3 32 a m
Ar. Washington	4 21 p m	4 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk		8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 53 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar. Wilson	11.46 p m	2.05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily	Daily via Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	9.00 am	1 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9.35 am	7.40 pm	4.15 am
Ar. Columbia	12.40 pm	10.55 pm	
Ar. Charlest'n	1.20 pm	11.40 pm	7.05 am
Ar. Savannah	6.45 pm	2.50 am	9.30 am
Ar. Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa		9.55 am	11.00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv. Tampa	8.35 p m	10.30 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	5.30 p m	6.15 a m
Lv. Columbia	4.30 p m	6.45 a m
Ar. Florence	8.20 p m	9.25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	12.05 a m	1.40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9.10 a m	Ar. 8.00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 4 40 p m

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Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 10 a m

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Between Wilmington and New York.

		Lv	Ar	
12.25 p	9.25 p	New York	5.30 a	4.15 p
		Lv	Ar	
2.55 p	12.19 a	Philadelphia	2.36 a	1.45 p
		Lv	Lv	
5.10 p	2.51 a	Baltimore	11.17 p	11.32 a
		Lv	Lv	
7.25 p	4.50 a	Wash'ng'n	8.36 p	9.55 a
		Lv	Lv	
11.00 p	9.40 a	Richmond	4.55 p	6.10 a
		Lv	Lv	
4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh	11.50 a	1.10 a
		Lv	Lv	
6.20 a	6.16 p	Fay'th v'le	9.45 a	11.06 p
		Ar	Lv	
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet	8.50 a	10.00 p
		Lv	Ar	
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet	8.40 a	7.35 p
		Ar	Lv	
1.00 p	11.59 p	Wilmingt'n	4.30 a	3.00 p

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

		Lv	Ar	
8.24 p	9.00 a	Norfolk	5.45 p	8.00 a
		Lv	Lv	
9.00 p	9.25 a	Porthm't'h	5.30 p	7.45 a
		Lv	Lv	
2.33 a	2.10 p	Henderson	1.07 p	2.35 a
		Lv	Lv	
4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh	11.50 a	1.10 a
		Ar	Lv	
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet	8.50 a	10.15 p
		Lv	Ar	
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet	8.40 a	8.40 p
		Ar	Lv	
1.00 p	11.59 p	Wilmingt'n	4.30 a	3.00 p

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

4.05 pm	Lv	Birmingham	Ar	11.59 am
9.25 pm	Ar	Atlanta	Lv	6.40 am
10.35 pm	Lv	Atlanta	Ar	7.30 am
12.33 am	Lv	Athens	Lv	5.19 am
2.45 am	Lv	Greenwood	Lv	3.13 am
4.45 am	Ar	Chester	Lv	1.00 am
7.35 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	10.05 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa.

8.30 am	Lv	Tampa	Ar	6.35 pm
5.20 pm	Ar	Jacksonville	Lv	9.20 am
7.50 pm	Lv	Jacksonville	Ar	8.55 am
12.20 am	Lv	Savannah	Lv	4.45 am
4.25 am	Lv	Columbia	Lv	1.20 am
6.25 am	Lv	Camden	Lv	12.13 am
8.40 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	10.05 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

Between Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherfordton.

		Lv	Ar	
4.30 a	3.00 p	Wilmingt'n	11.59 p	1.00 p
		Lv	Lv	
6.58 a	5.35 p	Lumberton	9.32 p	10.19 a
		Lv	Lv	
7.23 a	6.00 p	Pembroke	9.07 p	9.25 a
		Lv	Lv	
7.46 a	6.30 p	Maxton	8.44 p	9.30 a
		Lv	Lv	
8.03 a	6.57 p	Laurinburg	8.27 p	9.11 a
		Ar	Lv	
8.40 a	7.35 p	Hamlet	7.50 p	8.40 a
		Lv	Lv	
9.00 a	7.50 p	Hamlet	7.30 p	7.10 a
		Lv	Lv	
10.55 a	9.30 p	Monroe	5.55 p	5.40 a
		Lv	Lv	
11.50 a	10.45 p	Charlotte	5.00 p	5.00 a
		Lv	Ar	
4.00 p		Charlotte	10.15 a	
		Lv	Lv	
5.32 p		Lincoln'n	8 45 a	
		Lv	Lv	
6.40 p		Shelby	7.45 a	
		Ar	Lv	
8.00 p		Ruth'fort'n	6.30 a	

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Local Time Table.

Goldsboro and Beaufort, N. C.

In effect June 10, 1906.

Eastern Time.

STATIONS.	Daily 3 P.M.	Daily 1 A.M.	Sun. Only 5 A.M.
Lv. Goldsboro	3:40	8:00	7.00
Millers	3:56	8:13	7:10
Bests	4:01	8:21	7:18
LaGrange	4:13	8:31	7:28
Falling Creek	4:25	8:43	7:40
Kinston	4:40	8:36	7:52
Caswell	4:52	9:13	8:04
Dover	5:02	9:23	8:14
Cove	5:16	9:41	8:27
Tuscarora	5:26	9:51	8:37
Clarks	5:31	9:56	8:43
Ar. New Bern	5:48	10:10	9:05
Lv. New Bern	5:55	10:15	9:10
Riverdale	6:18	10:34	9:28
Croatan	6:22	10:38	9:32
Havelock	6:36	10.50	9:44
Newport	6:52	11:06	10.00
Wildwood	6:58	11:12	10:06
Mansfield	7:02	11:16	10:10
Morehead City	7:20	11:30	10:23
Atlantic Hotel	7:28	11:38	10:28
Ar. Morehead City (Pier 1)	7:30 P.M.	11:40 A.M.	10:30 A.M.
Beaufort Annex	P.M	P.M.	A.M.
Ar. Beaufort	8:10	12:20	11:10 Sun.

	Daily 2 A.M.	Daily 4 P.M.	Only 6 P.M.
Ar. Goldsboro	11:20	7:55	9:25
Millers	11:07	7:45	9:14
Bests	10:58	7:37	9:06
LaGrange	10:47	7:26	8:56
Falling Creek	10:35	7:13	8:44
Kinston	10:22	7:00	8:32
Caswell	10:08	6:46	8:18
Dover	9:58	6:36	8:08
Cove	9:41	6:20	7:54
Tuscarora	9:31	6:10	7:42
Clarks	9:26	6:04	7:36
Lv. New Bern	9:10	5:48	7:20
Ar. New Bern	9:05	5:40	7:15
Riverdale	8:43	5:15	6:51
Newport	8:11	4:43	6:21
Havelock	8:27	4:59	6:36
Newport	8:11	4:43	6:21
Wildwood	8:05	4:37	6:15
Mansfield	8:01	4:33	6:12
Morehead City	7:50	4:22	6:02
Atlantic Hotel	7:42	4:17	5:57
Lv. Morehead City (Pier 1)	7:40 A.M.	4:15 P.M.	5:55 P.M.
Beaufort Annex	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Lv. Beaufort	7:00	3:35	6:15

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 27, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady, 60 1-4c.

ROSIN—Market Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $2.00 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $3.00 per barrel for hard, $4.40 for dip and $4.40 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 64 1-2; rosin steady, $3.25; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine, firm $2.75, $4.25 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	19
Rosin	135
Tar	51
Crude	69

Receipts same day last year—38 casks spirits turpentine, 222 barrels rosin, 66 barrels tar; 19 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady at 9 3-16c.

Same day last year—Steady at 10 3-8c.

Receipts—2,880 bales; same day last year, 2,252 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime 65; extra prime, 75; fancy, 80@84 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 40@44c; extra prime 50c; fancy, 55@60c; Spanish, $1.00.

CORN—Firm, 72 1-2@75c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@17c. per pound; shoulders, 12 to 13c. sides dull, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 24@25.

CHICKENS—Dull, 12 1-2@25 for small, Growns, 30@35.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3½ per pound.

HIDES—Dry salted, 14 to 15; green 10c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, September 27.—The cotton market was more active today and went higher on bad weather reports, with the close at a net advance of 7 to 15 points. Sales for the day were estimated at 350,000. The opening was steady at a net advance of 2 to 4 points in response to higher cables and the reports that the gulf storm had reached the Cotton States and was passing northwesterly through Louisiana and the Mississippi Valley. Shortly after the opening the wire service with New Orleans was interrupted and rumors were circulated that a tidal wave had hit that city which caused considerable excitement. Some of the local traders sold heavily on a scale up expecting the market to react should the tidal wave story be denied, which it was toward the end of the first hour, but after sagging off 4 or 5 points the market rallied again on the reports of damage from rains, and high winds in the track of the storm, and on reports from various parts of the belt claiming that spot offerings were being withdrawn pending accurate information as to damage. October was particularly firm on the advance which at one time amounted to 9 to 18 points and there were rumors that all the notices issued tomorrow would be promptly stopped by Liverpool and spot interests. The close was within a couple of points of the best on the active months and steady in tone.

Receipts at the ports today 37,838 bales, against 24,557 last week, and 36,668 last year. For the week, 295,000 bales, against 185,934 last week, and 293,723 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 5,891 bales, against 3,605 last year, and at Houston 13,949 bales, against 10,689 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; 10 points advance; middling uplands, 9.70; middling gulf, 9.95; sales, 200. Futures closed steady. Prices ranged as follows:

September	8.85b	8.99
October	8.91	9.02
November	9.05	9.12
December	9.16	9.23
January	9.25	9.30
February	——	9.37
March	9.40	9.46
April	9.44	9.51
May	9.50	9.56
June	9.25b	9.58
July	9.58	9.61

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady; middling, 9 9-16; net receipts, 12.552 bales.

New Orleans—Firm; middling, 9¾; net receipts, 9,891 bales.

Mobile—Net receipts, 1,200.

Savannah—Steady; middling 9⅛; net receipts, 12,220 bales.

Charleston—Firm; middling, 9; net receipts, 1,297 bales.

Wilmington—Steady; middling, 9 3-16; net receipts, 2,870 bales.

Norfolk—Steady; middling, 9½; net receipts, 1,776 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal; middling, 9½.

New York—Quiet; middling, 9.70.

Boston—Quiet; middling, 8.70.

Philadelphia—Steady; middling, 9.95

Total today, at all ports, net, 37,838 bales; Great Britain, 693 bales; France 300 bales; Continent, 12,267 bales; Stock, 439,820 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports, net, 229,315 bales; Great Britain, 40,306 bales; France, 900 bales; Continent, 42,517 bales.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net, 629,602 bales; Great Britain, 129,945 bales; France, 20,674 bales; Continent, 155,109 bales; Japan, 5,065 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady; midling, 9⅜; net receipts, 13,494 bales.

Augusta—Firm; middling, 9⅜; net receipts, 1,363 bales.

Memphis—Steady; middling, 9 1-16; net receipts, 1,687 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet; middling, 9⅝.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 375 bales.

Louisville—Firm; middling, 10.

Liverpool Market.

Liverpool, September 27.—Cotton: Spot, dull, prices 4 points higher. American middling, fair, 6.12; good middling, 5.84; middling, 5.60; low middling, 5.40; good ordinary, 5.16; ordinary, 4.92.

The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 400 were for speculation and export and included 3,700 American. Receipts, none. Futures opened quiet and steady, and closed very steady. American middling, G. O. C.; September, 5.27; September and October, 5.11; Oct-Nov., 5.06½; Nov.-Dec., 5.04½; Dec.-Jan., 5.05½; Jan.-Feb., 5.07; Feb.-March, 5.09; March-April, 5.11; April-May, 5.12½; May-June, 5.14½; June-July, 5.16; July-August, 5.17½.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 27.—Money on call firm, 4@6 per cent, ruling rate 5½; closing bid 4, offered at 5. Time loans firm; sixty and ninety days 7 per cent, six months 6½.

Prime mercantile paper 6½@7 per cent; sterling exchange heavy with actual business in bankers at 483.33@483.40 for demand and at 479.50@479.55 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.80½@4.81 and 4.84½. Commercial bills 4.79¼. Bar silver 67¾. Mexican dollars 52½.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refining 2s reg	104 1-2
U. S. Refining 2s cou	105
U. S. 3s reg	103 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	103 1-2
U. S. old 4s reg	102 1-4
U. S. Old 4s cou	103 1-4
U. S. new 4s, reg	131
U. S. new 4s, cou	131
American Tobacco 4s	77 1-4
American Tobacco 6s	112 1-2
A. C. L. 4s offd	98 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio	103 1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	100 3-4
Seaboard Air Line offd	86
Southern Railway	115
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	98 1-2

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	110 7-8
American Sugar Refining	134 7-8
American Tobacco pfd	99
Atlantic Coast Line	140
Baltimore & Ohio	121 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	90
Chesapeake & Ohio	63
Louisville & Nashville	146 3-4
New York Centray	140
Norfolk & Western	94 3-4
Norfolk & Western pfd	90 3-4
People's Gas	88 3-4
Reading	146 1-8
Reading 1st pfd	89 1-4
Reading 2nd pfd	97
Southern Pacific	95 3-8
Southern Pacific pfd	117 1-2
Southern Railway	35 3-4
Southern Railway pfd	97
Tenn. Coal & Iron	155
U. S. Steel	43 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd	105 7-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	38 1-2
Va.-Car Chemical pfd	110 1-2
S. A. L., com	—
S. A. L., pfd	—
Standard Oil	600
Western Union	86

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, September 27.—FLOUR—Firm but quiet.

CORN MEAL—Firm.

WHEAT—Spot, firmer; No. 2 Red, 79 elevator. Options ½ net higher; No. 2 Red, 85⅜; September, 80⅛; December, 83⅝.

CORN—Spot, steady; No. 2, 57¼ elevator. Options, ¼ net lower; May, 50¼; September, 56¾; December, 52½.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed, 37½.

LARD—Quiet; western prime, 9.00. @9.10. Refined, steady.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Firm.

PETROLEUM—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot, steady; No. 7 Invoice, 8 3-5; Futures advanced 15@20 points.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 9-16; centrifugal 96 test, 4 1-16; molasses sugar, 3 5-16; refined, quiet.

BUTTER—Steady, unchanged.

CHEESE—Firm, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm; Western firsts, 23½ @24.

PEANUTS AND FREIGHTS—Quiet and unchanged.

POTATOES—Irish, easy; State, per barrel, 1.50@1.62; sweets, quiet, unchanged.

CABBAGES—Steady; Long Island and Jersey, per 100, 2.50@4.50.

COTTON SEED OIL—Quiet but firm; prime crude f. o. b. mills, 24½ @27½; prime summer yellow, 38½@39; prime white, 44@45; prime winter yellow, 44@45.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, September 27.—Covering by shorts caused strength in the local wheat market today, final quotations on the December delivery being up ⅝. Corn was a shade lower. Oats were ⅛@¼ lower. Provisions were 2½ to 7½ lower.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Closed
Wheat, No. 2—				
Sept	72⅞	73½	72¾	72¾
Dec	75¾	76	75	75⅝
May	79½	79⅞	79	79⅝
Corn, No. 2—				
Sept	48	48	47⅝	47⅝
Dec	43½	43⅜	41⅛	41¼
May	43⅝	43¾	43⅝	43⅝
Oats, No. 2—				
Sept	34⅜	34⅝	34⅛	34¼
Dec	35⅜	34¾	34⅜	34⅜
May	35⅝	35⅞	35½	35½
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Sept	16.55	16.60	16.52½	16.60
Jan	13.25	13.25	13.17½	13.22½
Lard Per 100 lbs.—				
Jan	7.77½	7.80	7.75	7.77½
Sept	8.87½	8.87½	8.85	8.87½
Oct	8.85	8.87½	8.80	8.85
Nov	8.45	8.45	8.40	8.42½
Short Ribs Per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	8.85	8.85	8.85	8.85
Oct	8.30	8.35	8.30	8.32½
Jan	7.07½	7.10	7.05	7.07½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, firm, prices 10@20 higher; No. 2 Spring Wheat, 78@83; No. 3, 74@77½; No. 2 Red, 72¾@73½; No. 2 Corn, 47½; No. 2 Yellow, 47½; No. 2 Oats, 34⅛@¼; No. 2 White, 35@½; No. 3 White, 32¾@34½; No. 2 Rye, 61½; Short Ribs, Side (loose), 8.80@8.90; Mess Pork, per bbl., 16.55@16.60; Lard, per 100 lbs., 8.87½; Short Clear Sides (boxed), 8.75@8.87½; Whiskey, basis High Wines, 1.29.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, September 27.—Turpentine, steady; rosin, steady, strained common to good 4.00 to 4.10.

Savannah, September 27.—Turpentine, firm, 61¼@61½; sales, 860; receipts, 858; shipments, 285.

Rosin, firm; sales, 2,185; receipts, 2,331; shipments, 3,572; stock, 80,014. Quote: A. B. C., 3.65; D., 3.75; E., 3.85; F., 3.90; G., 3.95; H., 4.05; I., 4.10; K., 4.40; M., 4.60; N., 4.80; W. G., 5.10; W. W., 5.55.

Charleston, September 27.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

SPECIAL RATES VIA SEABOARD AIR LINE.

Alanta, Ga. and return, account Natoonal Association Retail Druggists, October 1-5, one first class fare for round trip plus 25 cents, tickets sold Sept. 29 and 30, final limit October 7.

Richmond, Va. and return account Grand United Order of Odd Fellows October 2-6, one first class fare plus 25 cents roun trip, tickets sold Oct.. 1 and early morning train Oct. 2, final limit October 8th.

Dallas, Texas, and return, account Association Fire Engineers. October 9-12, one first class fare plus $2.00 round trip, tickets sold October 6 and 7, final limit twenty (21) days from date of sale.

Rock Island, Ill., and return, account Farmers National Congress, October 9-13, one first class fare plus $2.00 round trip, tickets sold Oct. 6, 7 and 8 final limit Octo. 16.

Buffalo, N. Y. and return, account International Convention of Christian Churches, October 12-17, tickets sold Oct. 10, 11 and 12 good returning until Oct. 19, about one first class fare for the round trip

New Orleans, La. and return, account Supreme Lodge Knights of Pythias October 15-25, one first class fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold Octo. 12 to 15 final limit Oct. 30 extension can be secured until November 30, on payment of 50 cents.

Charlotte, N. C. and return Mecklenburg Fair October 16-19, one first class fare plus 50 cents including admission to grounds tickets sold Oct. 15 to 19 final limit Octo 22, rates to apply from Rutherfordton Maxton, Bluff and intermediate stations.

Memphis, Tenn. and return, Brotherhood of St. Andrew, October 13-21, one trip, tickets sold October 15, 16, 17 and 18, final limit Octo. 30, extension first class fare plus 25 cents round can be secured until November 30 on payment of 50 cents.

Atlanta, Ga. and return, account Carriage Builders Association, October 21-27, one first class fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold October 19, 20, 21 and 22, final limit Octo. 30, extension can be secured until November 15 on payment of 50 cents.

Asheville N. C. and return, account Missionary Conference Protestant Episcopal Church October 23-25, one first class fare plus 25 cents round trip, tickets sold October 20 and 21 final limit November 5.

For detail information relative to above, timetables, rates and any information call on address the undersigne:

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Schr. Kate B. Ogden, 541 tons, Lamson, Philadelphia, C. D. Maffitt.

Schr Everett Webster, 383 tons, Maxwell, Philadelphia, C. D. Maffitt.

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MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Ribston (Br.), 1,962 tons, Maxfield, Heide & Co.

Anglo-Saxon (Br.), 2,671 tons, Moore, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Westlands (Br.), 2,001 tons, Granger, Heide & Co.

Naparima (Br.), 1,042 tons, Campbell, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Nolisement (Br.), 2,492 tons, Young, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Emma S. Lord, 300 tons, Erskine, C. D. Maffitt.

Edith H. Symington, 881 tons, Thurber, C. D. Maffitt.

Massachusetts 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.

Fannie Prescott, 316 tons, Flinn, C. D. Maffitt.

Everett Webster, 383 tons, Maxwell, C. D. Maffitt.

Kate B. Ogden, 541 tons, Lamson C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 27, 1906

C. C. Railroad—127 bales cotton; 2 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—151 bales cotton; 57 barrels rosin; 14 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2,207 bales cotton; 1 cask turpentine; 23 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—330 bales cotton; 12 casks spirits turpentine; 40 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Stmr. Alice—18 barrels crude turpentine.

Str Tar Heel—65 bales cotton; 6 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin; 39 barrels tar; 27 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—2,880 bales cotton; 19 casks spirits turpentine; 135 barrels rosin; 51 barrels tar; 69 barrels crude turpentine.

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HOPELESS SITUATION IN CUBAN REPUBLIC

President Palma Persists in Resigning and Secretary Taft May Head Provisional Government—Preparations to Land 2,500 American Marines.

Havanna, Sept. 27.—The probabilities of United States intervention in Cuba looms up far stronger this afternoon than at any previous time. Few people now doubt that intervention is close at hand. The Moderate party leaders again demonstrated today that they are not willing to actually begin negotiations with their opponents and submitted a proposition regarding the negotiations which merely proposes that they be broken off when differences arise. Senator Dolz, president of the Senate, holds that it is the duty of the Moderates to uphold the constitutional authority but says that if they do nct reach an agreement with their opponents tomorrow morning American intervention will forthwith be inevitable. He added, however, that the Moderates will do everything possible to avoid intervention, even to the extent of accepting Senor Zayas as president of Cuba and thereafter discussing terms for a final settlement. This attitude, however, is regarded as only typical of the evasive tactics of the government officials, who in reality are more ready to concede the holding of new elections than before.

It now appears that the Cuban Congress will have a quorum tomorrow to consider the negotiations of President Palma and Vice President Mendez Capote.

Mesrs. Taft and Bacon this afternoon were asked if they considered matters to be in a hopeful condition, to which Taft replied: "I do not know. I can not say."

Situation Hopeless.

Havana, September 27.—The Assembly of Moderates tonight decided to refuse to accept President Palma's resignation in the hope of inducing him to continue in office and thus avoid intervention.

Intervention by the installation of a provisional government was contemplated for tomorrow but the United States peace commissioners will await the developments in Congress.

President Palma steadfastly refuses every solicitation of his friends to withdraw his resignation. Typical of this yas the cablegram he sent to President Roosevelt in response to the final urgent message from the American President that he remain at his helm. In this President Palma expresed his warmest appreciation of President Roosevelt's efforts to secure peace for Cuba, and the friendship he has always shown the Cuban people. He referred to his own previous sacrifices for Cuba, which he said had not been made in vain, but in the present situation, and in view of all that had transpired, he felt that further sacrifice on his part would be useless and that it was not consistent with his dignity and prestige to remain in affice.

If Palma's resignation were accepted it would then become necessary for Congress to elect a provisional president. Such an election would only be a new source of contention.

The American commissioners will not brook the establishment of a provisional government by the Cubans, simply as a means of gaining time. They hold that if a provisional government is created it must be by the United States. Secretaries Taft and Bacon would be properly dischaging their full duties if such a givernment were created in any other manner.

The American commisioners have little confidence in the seriousness of the intentions of the politicians. Nobody is inclined to doubt tonight that within twenty-four hours Secretary Taft by authority of the President of the United States will proclaim himself provisional governor of Cuba. Such a government, however, would be made Cuban as far as it was possible so to do by continuing the various departments under the immediate control of the present heads thereof.

Immediate developments depend upon the action taken by Congress tomorrow. It is not likely that the Liberals will attend the sesion, but the Moderates and the Liberals and Nationalsts combined expect to secure a quorum. The Moderate leaders tonight expect nothing but intervention tomorrow. Even should Gohgress carry out its announced intention of not accepting President Palma's resignatin. Secretary Taft will hold that a vacancy exists unless Palma himself concludes to remain in office.

Meanwhile preparations for the landing of marines and blue jackets from American warships have been completed, and within a short time after Secretary Taft gives the order all advantageous points which have already been selected by naval officers would be occupied by a force of at least 2,500 men. Such an order would not be given until Secretary Taft regards it as absolutely necessary, but it is certain that the present conditions will be alowed to continue for more than one day longer. The nonacceptance of President Palma's resignation and its withdrawal will be Cuba's last card.

General Frederick Funston arrived here today. He has gone over all the military plans, approved them, and familiarized himself with the military situation as presented by Major Ladd, who has been here for a fortnight.

Among the places visited today by General Funston was the rebel camp outside of Havana. Here the American general met Generals Guerra and DelCastillo and other commanders of the insurgents, some of whom he knew during thre last revolution.

The atmosphere at the palace tonight is decidedly gloomy. The President has succumbed somewhat to nervous fatigue. President Palma will retire as poor as when he assumed the office.

Roosevelt Hopeful.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., September 27.—That there is still a feeling of hope in the highest circles that order eventually will be restored in Cuba seems apparent. Even in the face of discouraging reports received by the press today of the progress of negotiations between Secretaries Taft and Bacon and the Government and Insurgent leaders in the island republic, preparations for the President's departure tomorrow for a stay of nearly 48 hours with the North Atlantic fleet off Provincetown. Mass., have been carried steadily forward. The yacht Mayflower, on which he will make the journey from Oyster Bay to the Masachusetts coast, arrived here tonight. It had been suggested that if the event of conditions at Havana asume what might be considered a really desperate stature, the presidential visit to the fleet under Rear Admiral Evans, might be abandoned or at least postponed.

It was said at the executive offices tonight, however, that there does not seem to be at this time at least asy chance that a change of plans will be made. As the Mayflower and the ships under Admiral Evans' fleet are equipped with wireless telegraph outfit, the Provincetown journey does not mean that the President will be even for a brief time beyond reach of his commissioners to Cuba, should they desire to consult him.

Call for More Marines.

Washington, September 27.—A nappeal for more men to assist in protecting property at Cienfuegos was received today by Acting Secretary Newberry of the Navy Department from Commander James T. Smith, of the cruiser Cleveland, which is now stationed at Cienfuegos, together with the gunboat Marietta. In addition to the regular compliment of marines and bluejackets on the two warships, 225 other marines were sent to Cienfuegos to asist in looking after foreign interests there and at present the Navy Department has no more available men who can be sent to that place.

Lines of men have been thrown out from the two warships at Cienfuegos to protect plantations of foreigners against marauders. These men have been worn out by constant duty and Commander Smith said in his request to the Navy Department that relief is needed at once.

The Navy Department is greatly in need of more officers and men. The Tennessee, Washington, Georgia and Connecticut have been stripped of officers and crews to man the Prairie, Brooklyn and Texas which are under orders to take marines to Cuba.

GEN. STOESSEL NOT TO BE SHOT.

Allowed to Resign from Rusian Army at Czar's Invitation.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

St. Petersburg, September 27.—The Asociated Press was informed today that Lieutenant General Stoessel who commanded the Russian forces at Port Arthur, today submitted his resignation from the army. It is understood that it will be accepted, thereby ending the history of the surrender of the fortress without the undesirable disclosures which ould result from a formal court martial. The general's resignation is said to have been due to the initiative of the Emperor. After reading the report of Port Arthur, recommending that Stoessel be dismissed from the army and shot, his majesty expressed his aversion to any further discussion of the subject in open court.

It is not known whether Lieutenant General Fock, who commanded the East Siberian division at Port Arthur, and the other officers concerned, will accept the alternative of standing trial.

Democrats of the State of Washington in State convention at Seattle Tuesday endorsed William J. Bryan for the Presidency in 1908, roundly creering the name of William R. Hearst and nominated a fullcongressional and judiciary ticket. The convention was the smallest held in years, several counties being unrepresented.

MEXICAN TOWN TAKEN BY FORCE

Marauders Believed to Be Smugglers and Bandits and Not Revolutionists.

HAD BATTLE WITH TROOPS

Several of Invaders Killed and Others Put to Flight—Mexican Government Has Sent More Troops to Pursue Marauders.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Houston, Texas, September 27.—A special to the Chronicle from Eagle Pass says that a telephone message received there from Jiminez, thirty miles up the Rio Grande river, state that forty armed men raided the town last night, placed the mayor, chief of police, treasurer and other city officials in jail, and are now in control. The telephone wires were cut before the message was finished. Government troops have arrived on a special train today and are hastening to Jiminez. Advices of a battle are expected at Eagle Pass any hour. Ciudad Perfirie Diaz, across the river from Eagle Pass, is quiet today but many Mexicans came over to sleep last night.

Troops Attack Marauders.

Houston, Texas, Sept. 27.—A courier just arrived says that the revolutionists and a force from Ciudad under Porifirio Diaz clashed last night at Victoria, about five miles south of Jiminez; that one ranger was killed and that the revolutionists left several dead. They scattered there being pursued by Mexican troops. Jiminez is not in possession of the latter. The affair is regarded here as possessing but little of a revolutionary or political character.

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 27.—An Eagle Pass special to the Herald today, says:

"A government force of 75 cavalrymen encountered forty self styled revolutionists 30 miles above here and dispersed them, killing two. One hundred more soldiers are coming from Monterey."

Nothing But Smugglers.

Washington, Sept. 27.—The following telegram was received at the Treasury Department today from the collector of customs at Eagle Pass, Texas:

"Yesterday about 30 bandits and smugglers took possession of Jiminez, a small town in Mexico, thirty miles above Eagle Pass. A fight ensued with Mexican soldiers, several men being killed. Sensational reports were sent to the press describing it as a revolution. Efforts may be made to induce the War Department to send troops here. Nothing serious in the situation is reported up to the present time."

WON'T SUPPORT WM. R. HEARST.

Jerome Says No Democrats Bound By Buffalo Convention.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, September 27.—The day after the close of the two State conventions was not marked by any degree of activity in the working ranks of Republicans or Democrats but was given up to discussion and preliminary straightening out of the ranks into lines of battle for the campaign.

Most of the delegates to the Democratic convention at Buffalo returned home to night.

Dristrict Attorney Jerome came in on one of the Tammany specials. In reply to a request for an expression of opinion, he said:

"After watching carefully and being in a position to know what happened at the alleged Democratic convention at Buffalo I do not believe that any man who is a real Democrat is bound by his allegiance to the Democratic party to abide by the action of such a fake convention."

William Randolph Hearst, the Democratic nominee, returned tonight from Poughkeepsie, where he spoke to a large assemblage today, but only indirectly referred to the action of the convention at Buffalo yesterday. Up to the present, Mr. Hearst has given out no statement of acceptance.

Rochester, N. Y., September 27.—Rochester Morning Herald, ever since its birth as a Democratic newspaper, in this morning's issue announces itself as an independent newspaper and advocates the election of Charles E Hughes.

The Union and Advertiser, of this city, hitherto Democratic, in its issue today avers that "it owes no allegiance to the candidate of the Democratic convention at Buffalo," William R Hearst.

All arrangements for the fight next Sunday at Leavenworth, Kas., between Walcott and Rhodes for the welter-weight championship, have been made. The contest will take place on a strip of neutral land several miles from Leavenworth. The jurisdiction of this land has never been determined. It pays no taxes and a saloon has flourished on it for years unmolested. Governors Hoch and Folk combined to prevent the fight scheduled for last Sunday.

TROPICAL HURRICANE WREAKS DESTRUCTION

Shipping at Pensacola Thrown From Bay Onto Land. L. & N. Wharves and Grain Elevator Washed Into Bay—Loss Heavy.

Louisville, Ky., September 27.—The tropical hurricane, which for 24 hours has been churning the waters of the Gulf of Mexico and doing much damage on the coast and far inland, is tonight whipping through North Alabama in a northeasterly direction at a velocity but slightly less than 48 miles an hour recorded in New Orleans during the day. Reports received by the Asociated Press do not indicate any loss of life, but the damage to property is enormous. All wire communication is seriously disarranged and in some instances has resulted in cutting off cities completely. Mobile Alabama, not having been heard from for nearly 24 hours. Numerous washouts have occurred, the interruption from this cause in one case extended 30 miles.

Pensacola where the velocity of wind was probably felt early this morning, reports a property loss of $3,000,000 and sends rumors of loss of life, which it is impossible to confirm, as the uncertain wire which held long enough to glean this impresion this afternoon failed with the coming of night.

New Orleans furnished numerous wild rumors during the day but later reports from there indicate that while there was considerable damage to property, there has been no loss of life. Wires between New Orleans and the Gulf are down and it may be several days before anything can be heard from the territory between the Crescent city and the Gulf or from the shipping which is riding out the storm in the open Gulf.

Bolixi, Miss., and Boss Point, Miss., have not been heard from for nearly 24 hours, Moss Point reporting the water five feet deep in the streets at 10 o'clock Wednesday night.

There was a heavy rain and high wind at Montgomery, Ala., but no serious damage as done. A gale is blowing at Birmingham after a day of steady rain and at Memphis the rain has been continuous for 36 hours.

Atlanta begun to feel the storm at noon but up to 8 o'clock its force had not been increased to an extent portending serious result. The damage to railroads is heavy.

Reports to the officials of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad from the superintendent of the Mobile and Montgomery divisions indicate that the losses approximate $1,000,000. The tracks between Flomation, Ala., and Pensacola, Fla., are obstructed and in some places are badly torn up by falling trees. The section between Georgia and Graceville, Fla., has suffered similarly.

At Pensacola, the Louisville & Nashville grain elevator has been destroyed and the trackage to Escambia bay is ruined. The railroad wharf at Pensacola is reported a total loss and 39 carloads of coal washed into the bay. Further reports indicate that the roadbed between Bay Minette, Ala., and Mobile, a distance of 30 miles, has been washed away. Five hundred section workmen are being rushed from Montgomery and Birmingham.

The Louisville & Nashville also suffered several washouts near New Orleans and no trains are being run tonight over certain sections of this trackage. The New Orleans and Northeastern reports its tracks under water at several places in the vicinity of New Orleans. No. word has come from any other railroad.

The waters of Lake Pontchartrain, which for the past 24 hours have been five feet above normal causing a serious overfiflow in parts of New Orleans, have receded appreciably. The water in submerged districts has begun to drain off and the wind, which veered to the northeast is driving the waters of the lake toward the gulf.

TERRIBLE AT PENSACOLA.

Storm Did Great Damage at the Florida Port.

Pensacola, Fla., September 27.—The korst storm and hurricane that the gulf coast has experienced since the vilage of Pensacola on San Rosa Island, was swept away one hundred and seven years ago, began last night and is still raging this afternoon. It is reported that many lives between the city and the navy yard have been lost, but as many rumors of this character have been current all the day the report does not obtain credence.

It is known, however, that many

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